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COMMENT and RUMOR-

We were quite surprised and no doubt many other have been by the publication of news that about 10 billion dollars in war contracts have recently been cancelled. The trend of things to come will be set forth more fully in a lengthy article by Roger W. Babson in next weeks' Ocean Beach News.

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Now that politics are warming up a little, one of our readers suggests that a coalition of Dewey for president and Warren for vice president, would make a strong team for the Republican group.

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A new convenience on Newport ave., adjoining Myers and Stuart Gilmore station, is a packaged ice machine, that delivers a 25-lb. package for two dimes. Previously customers for this commodity had to drive over to Voltaire st. for the service.

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Friday of last week the awning at Fabers store burst into flames in the middle of the afternoon, supposedly from a careless smoker flipping a cigarette upon it. Many stood around wondering what to do but Moss and Strauss, the "dead end kids" of that block soon had the fire under control with a few buckets of water.

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Last Sunday we visited the new shopping center at Linda Vista. This is indeed a credit to that community and built along modern ideas of what a shopping center should be. Stores, shops, cafes and all businesses front on an oblong park, nicely grassed over and planted with trees. No autos can drive down in front of the stores but sufficient parking lots are at the rear or end of the buildings. The conveyances are close enough to be convenient for the shoppers yet will not hinder anyone on foot. It's a good idea and we expect to see many more business areas developed in a like manner. Linda Vista waited a long time for their stores but they now have most everything and conveniently located. There is said to be about 20,000 population in this San Diego addition which started as raw sage land three years ago.

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TIMES NOW DIFFERENT

Remember the days when we used to issue a summer vacation number and send a few thousand over to Imperial valley and Arizona in an effort to get a good showing of tourists in Ocean Beach for the summer months, and the San Diego Chamber of Commerce advertised all over the U.S.A. to bring visitors to this section.

Well it's different now. We have to write and tell them to stay away. The railroads and bus concerns also tell them not to travel and that no accommodations are obtainable, yet the stream constantly is flowing to Southern California.

The ocean is still inviting, though a little rough at this time of the year. Orange groves and green fields are an enticement to the winter dwellers of the inter-mountain and north country. The War Department even asks those who are not essential workers here to move to other places where they can find cheaper housing with less congestion in traffic and business.

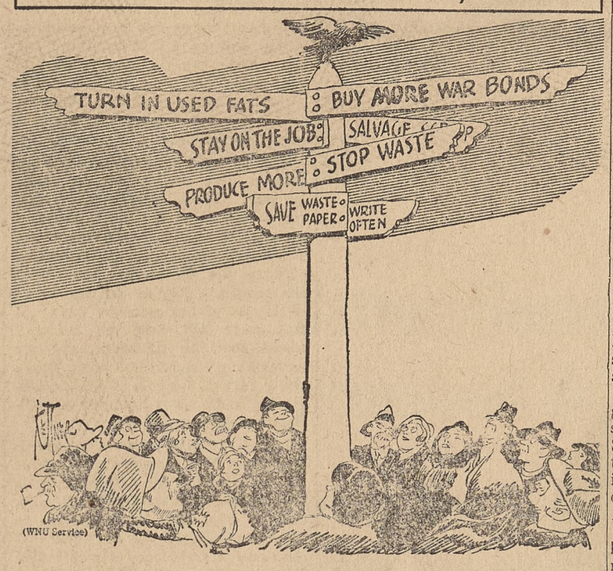
No use now to brag about the beauties of California, the mild climate, the beautiful blue Pacific ocean. It's patriotic now to stay at home. Do not come to California.

Song of the Marsh

The croak of the frog
Is the song of the marsh,
Where the waters are vamping
the green,
Where the grasses lay
In velvet array
On lakes of mossy lean.

They deem the hours
Till silent ere,
To sing their husky song;
And wait in darkness
Of the night
To set a-tune their throne.

—J.E.M.



Richley Hardware Sold To Kraft And Burnham

Mr. and Mrs. William Richley have sold their hardware and paint business at 1926-30 Bacon st. to Fred Kraft, Ocean Beach Rexall drug store owner, and Gordon Burnham, former service station operator at corner Newport and Sunset Cliffs blvd. Burnham the past two years has been an instructor at Convair bomber school.

The Richleys have hosts of friends who dislike seeing them discontinue their business but there has been little vacation or opportunity to recuperate good health in the 17 years since they established the store where they have shown good will and a particularly accommodating attitude to every customer. Local property interests will keep Mr. Richley pretty well occupied and they are going to continue their residence here, though naturally there will be longer fishing excursions into the old home state of Montana.

The new partnership expect to take over the business as soon as all escrow matters have been settled and will operate under style of "Ocean Beach Hardware and Paint Store." We people of Ocean Beach wish them the very best of luck in their new venture.

LOCAL MAN RESIGNS FROM POLICE DEPARTMENT

Patrolman Merle O. Mark, 23, of 4973 Santa Monica ave., has resigned from the police department, Capt. Thad Seibert reported Tuesday. He had been a patrolman since Nov. 9.

Civilian Defense---

DOROTHEA F. MILLER
B-3066—District 7

"The Block Leader Service has emerged as one of the outstanding home front developments in this war. It represents something new in American life, yet is an out-growth of our oldest, most fundamental principle—the democratic principle. For it recognizes the importance of every single family, regardless of station, wealth, creed, or race, and provides a means whereby all may share the responsibility and the privilege of helping to keep the home front strong."

A good block leader never neglects her block even when there is no active campaign going on, it is not the purpose of Civilian Defense to make the block leaders a messenger service. All our programs have contributed vitally to war service, and they will in the future.

There is always work for us to do, at home, that will bring ease and comfort to those at the front, and this work consists in part, in making hospital slippers, wash-rags, sheets, pillow slips, lap robes, afghans and shoulder shawls. There is the ever-growing savings campaign, of food, clothing, utilities and money. Do not become apathetic, there is plenty to do, and the Central committee will meet Wednesday, Feb. 3rd at 10:00 a.m. in the director's room of the Chamber of Commerce bldg.

The cross is the central emblem of human history. Without it there is neither temptation nor glory.—Mary Baker Eddy.

W. L. White, author of THEY WERE EXPENDABLE, has written a superb story of our fighting men in the air, QUEENS DIE PROUDLY. It is the story of a Flying Fortress crew in the terrific air action that began in the Philippines and continued its explosive course from island to island southward through the Pacific. It is the greatest war story to date.

Read QUEENS DIE PROUDLY

SERIALLY IN THIS NEWSPAPER

IN THE SERVICE--

News from our local boys in service as well as letters or excerpts of letters will be gladly published in this newspaper. Please bring them in for many service men receive the Ocean Beach News by mail weekly and are glad to hear of former friends.

Three sons of Mr. and Mrs. Everett E. Lloyd, 2071 Froude st., native sons of Ocean Beach, are in the service.

Ens. Everett S. Lloyd, 24, was graduated from Pt. Loma high school, June, '37, and attended State college one year. He entered the U. S. Maritime service in 1941 and the U. S. Maritime officers training school March 15, 1943.

On July 14, of the same year, he was graduated from the Engineering class as Ensign with the **honor of valedictorian.** Ens. Lloyd is now on active duty in the South Pacific.

Marvin L. Lloyd, 19, graduated from Pt. Loma high school last June and entered the U. S. Navy Aug. 4. After seven weeks training in San Diego Naval training station he was transferred to Naval air technical training at Norman, Okla., where he will complete a 16 weeks course in air gunners school.

Fred B. Lloyd, 17, a student of Pt. Loma high school, entered the U. S. Maritime service on Dec. 7, 1943, at Avalon, Calif., for three months training engineering class. He carried a newspaper route for several years and made many friends among his customers.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd are proud of the three-star service flag, which hangs in their nome, and the three-star pin Mrs. Lloyd wears is very noticeable. Ocean Beach is also proud of its native sons, many of whom are serving in the armed forces.

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In pre-flight school at San Antonio, Tex., Richard C. Miller, has been classified as a pilot in the army air corps. A graduate of Pt. Loma high school, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Miller, 4645 Saratoga. He was formerly connected with a radio station.

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Pvt. Hudson Rosenberg, U.S.A., infantry, son of Dr. and Mrs. Earl Rosenberg, 3829 Narragansett, Pt. Loma high school graduate, who entered the service a year ago, was transferred from Fort Banning to Fort Ord, Monterey. Dr. and Mrs. Rosenberg visited with their son a few days before he embarked for an unknown destination.

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Private Robert R. Brazell made home folks happy when he arrived home Wednesday morning on a 15-day furlough. Bob expects to be able to spend at least 10 days at home, the balance of his furlough time being used in travel. He is stationed at Buckley Field, Denver, and the opportunity came for him to "hitch-hike" by B-24 and C-47 bombers to Burbank, Calif., via Denver to Cheyenne, then to Salt Lake and on to Burbank. From the latter place he caught a commercial plane to San Diego. Elapsed flying time was seven hours for the entire distance. Private Brazell reports flying very cold Tuesday with temperature at 42 degrees below zero when the plane reached 17,000 feet. Oxygen helmets must be used over 14,000 feet and those men not so equipped just passed out until helmets were loaned them. Brazell will enter training as an aviation cadet in the near future. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brazell, parents of Bob, live at 1054 Devonshire dr., where Grandma Kyde will keep the cookie jar filled especially for the young service man while he is at home.

Breakers

The heaving waves that spread
and burst
Make breakers white and tall
Inflamed with brightness from
the sky
They splash against the wall.
A fire of light in calm relay
To throw their mist away.

—J.E.M.

Vice President To Speak In San Diego

Henry A. Wallace, vice president of the United States will address a mass meeting sponsored by United Citizens committee of San Diego county according to Charles C. Dail, San Diego city councilman who heads the committee. The event to be held Hoover high school auditorium, 44th at El Cajon blvd. in San Diego on Sunday, Feb. 6th at 1:30 in the afternoon. The public is invited. The most notable of public events since President Roosevelt's visit in 1939. A huge audience is anticipated.

The committee comprising civic leaders of cities and county; public officials; labor, farmer, minority and professional groups promises a significant address, subject to be announced later. Guests of honor also include representatives of U. S. Army, Navy and Marine corps.

The program includes address of welcome by Harley E. Knox, mayor of San Diego and renditions by United States Marine Corps band.

New Assistant At Elm's Bootery

C. O. Tallman of San Diego last week accepted a position as local manager of Elm's Bootery here. Mr. Tallman comes with wide experience in the fitting of men and women's shoes, having been employed at the Boldrick shoe stores for several years.

Next Tuesday men of the beach area are invited to meet W. L. Willis, stylist for Storrs-Schaefer tailored suits.

Dr. Ariaudo, Dentist Called To Service

Dr. Arnold A. Ariaudo, who succeeded Commdr. I. W. Parks, to a thriving dental practice in Ocean Beach three years ago, has been called to active service and will report to Luke field at Phoenix, Ariz., on Feb. 2nd. He expects to return to practice in Ocean Beach at the end of the war.

Dr. Barry Kellogg will take the practice and appointments of Dr. Ariaudo, coming here highly recommended from his home in Long Beach, Calif.

Kiwanis Men See Life And Death Of U. S. S. Hornet

Irwin J. Claspill was program chairman at Kiwanis club Tuesday with an interesting program. Members of the U. S. Navy were present and brought a talkie film showing the launching and sinking of the large aircraft carrier the U. S. S. Hornet.

Lt. (jg) Virginia Parnell of New Orleans spoke briefly of the Waves, saying they had enlisted 500,000 in a year and a half. This number released enough men to man 12 large battleships—and 12 battleships can do a lot of damage to Tokyo. Recruiter Miriam Juvonen, specialist USN, told of the indoctrination of Waves, which she said was no less an introduction for the girls, than the "boot training" is for the men. Specialist Edward Caniff, USN, was operator of the movie equipment.

The pictures shown featured the highlights of the life and death of the U. S. S. Hornet, from its launching to months of training for its crew, then its mission carrying bombers to within 700 miles of Tokyo on their visit there and first bombing. Thrilling scenes of battle showed the downing of Jap bombers in the battle of Santa Cruz, Oct. 22, 1942, which was the final battle of the Hornet, this majestic ship being crippled by enemy bombers at that time to such an extent that it was sunk at the order of its own commander.

Frank F. Oster, father of Dr. Winton B. Oster, was a guest of his son.

Attendance chairman Daniel Moss reported the following members with perfect attendance: Myron Insko, 14 years; Frank B. McElwee, 10 years; Milton Lancaster, 6 years; Heber Hartvigsen, 5 years; Glen Jones, 5 years; Rollin Reed, 4 years; Henry Holman and Burritt Mills, 3 years; Clarence Swenson, Dr. Alfred Sand and Martin Murphy, 1 year. J. O. Plant and Dr. W. B. Oster full attendance since joining the club March and May, 1942, respectively

Invest Savings In War Bonds Bankers Advise

The smartest investment citizens can make is to put a substantial part of their savings in war bonds, in addition to the bonds they are regularly buying, the banking and savings-loan division of the San Diego County War Finance committee emphasized in a statement this week.

H. H. Benjamin, chairman of this group, pointed out that financial institutions are in agreement that war bonds are today's best "buy." and that excess funds invested in them will provide "bullets, boats and bombers" to help speed the day of victory.

"Buying war bonds is the best, safest and a profitable way to save and invest money," he said. "They are backed by the strongest government in the world, and the money they represent is put to work in the grim but necessary business of fighting to preserve that government.

"War bonds pay a better rate of interest than can be paid on savings by banks under present conditions. Series E bonds, for instance, earn 2.9 per cent interest, compared to 1 per cent which banks allow on limited amounts. This is an important reason why the savings which people are accumulating should go into bonds.

"And there are other reasons. War bonds purchased now will build up purchasing power after the war; they will help to shorten the war, save American lives and bring the boys home sooner; and they are a powerful factor in heading off inflation.

"No loss of interest will be experienced by withdrawing savings, because Series E, F and G bonds purchased in January bear interest from the first of the month."

New Bay District Civic Body Formed

Mission Bay Chamber of Commerce was organized last week by property owners and residents of the area adjoining Mission bay on all sides. The organization is drawing its membership from Mission Beach, Ocean Beach, Bay Park Village and Pacific Beach, including Crown Point.

Carl Schroder is chairman of the group with M. Malcolm, treasurer, and Theresa Rakestraw, secretary. Meetings will be held the second Wednesday of each month at 4862 Voltaire st.

Members state they will operate on a stream-lined and flexible program seeking improvement for all sides of Mission bay. Some items mentioned at the first meeting was the extensions of connections with Harbor dr., better sewage disposal at the bay area, flood control and jetties for Mission bay channel entrance.

MICKIE SAYS—

NEWS AIN'T LIKE WINE OR CHEESE—IT DON'T IMPROVE WITH AGE! LET US HAVE IT WHILE ITS HOT—AND BEFORE IT HAPPENS, IF Y'CAN, INSTEAD OF AFTER
IS YOUR PAPER PAID UP?
CHADLER O'CONNOR

Blest is that Nation whose silent course of happiness furnishes nothing for history to say. —Thomas Jefferson.

Heavy Winter Storms Strike San Diego

Beginning last Sunday night all San Diego county has experienced unusually heavy storms of wind and rain with snow in the mountain country and hail about midnight Monday.

High breakers have beaten against the shores and dashed against the cliffs. There has been little damage though several boats in the harbor area were flooded.

Reports from Laguna junction, 46 miles from San Diego, said the snow was five to six inches deep there, but melting fast, and unless cold closed in and remained, the snow soon would be gone.

Highway maintenance crews used snow plows to keep the roads into the higher Lagunas open, roads which had been made almost impassable by the heavy snowfall of Monday night.

At the 6000-foot elevation snow was reported 12 to 15 inches deep.

Pine Valley also was blanketed in which, but six inches of wet snow was reported melting fast Tuesday afternoon under a warm sun. Snow was still on the ground at Descanso junction.

The snow at Descanso would have been packed two feet deep if the fall hadn't been accompanied by considerable rain, the state forestry service reported. The fall was exceptionally heavy for that region.

Forest service lookout peaks spent two bitter nights, with snow and sleet whipped by winds up to 70 miles an hour.

The windstorm over San Diego hardly had begun to die Monday night when skies again darkened and thunder crashed over the city, bolts of lightning knocking out three power substations and disrupting street car service.

The thunder began at about 11:30 p.m., and heralded a lashing attack of hail that was piled up in low spots until it resembled snow. Some of these piles of hail still were visible in mid-morning giving rise to numerous reports of snowfall within the city proper.

One big patch of packed hail was found in the 2800 block on El Cajon blvd. and others were found in the Balboa park section.

Power substations were put out of commission when lightning struck a high tension line of the San Diego Gas & Electric Co., blowing out fuses. Street car service was crippled until service was restored.

Beach residents watched one of the season's highest tides—7.4 inches Tuesday morning, but little property damage resulted, as the sting had been taken out of the threat by lessening wind. However, angry breakers again scoured out the Orean Beach sand.

A beach which had been built up by tidal action, north of the Ocean Beach police substation, was taken out as the waves carried off millions of tons of sand and advanced to the street line.

This is in the same general area where the ocean in recent years has carried off homes and gouged out streets and lots.

At La Jolla, breakers cascading up over sandbags to re-invade the Marine room of the La Jolla Beach and Tennis club. Driven out by the sea, the dining and dancing club's activities were moved to the main dining room.

Red Cross Life Saving Taught Adults and Youngsters

A new series of instructions leading to qualification for Red Cross Life Saving badges will get underway this week at the YWCA when a class for junior high school girls from 12 to 14 years of age begins Saturday at 1 p.m.

A second class, for senior high school girls 15 and 16 years of age will start Monday at 4 o'clock, and an adult class for both men and women 17 years and over, will meet Thursday evening at 7:30.

Applicants for life saving instruction must be able to meet several requirements in swimming skills, including a 220 yard continuous swim; demonstration of side stroke, elementary back stroke, and crawl; a plain dive from the side of the pool; a surface dive and recovery of an object in eight feet of water; and ability to float and tread water.

Classes will meet once a week for instruction, and registration may be made at the program activities desk at the YWCA building.

First Nail Factory
America's first nail factory was erected in what is now Phoenixville, Chester county, Pennsylvania, during the year 1790.

Simple Meals
Simple meals of large servings of a few good foods can be just as healthful as many course dinners.

Mahogany Spotted by Plane
Because they grow in thick jungle, mahogany trees are often located by airplanes.

Generates Electricity
Coal generates 55 per cent of all U. S. electricity.

Petroleum Producer
Venezuela is biggest producer of petroleum for the United Nations, aside from the United States.

Pepper Demanded as Ransom
When Alaric the Goth besieged Rome part of the ransom demanded was 3,000 pounds of pepper.

Soap in Battleship
It requires 9,000 pounds of soap to make the rubber for a single battleship.

Plastics Base
Coal is the base for 85 per cent of all war plastics.

Wet Shoes
If leather street shoes get wet through, rub them with a little castor oil to prevent them from drying out hard.

A Precept
Follow after righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, meekness.--I Timothy 6:11.

Silver Mines
Mexico is long famed for mines producing a third of the world's silver.

Powers Locomotives
Coal powers 95 per cent of U. S. railroad locomotives.

Worn Sheets
Worn sheets can be cut to suitable lengths and dyed for window curtains, or they can be used as covers for dresses and coats.

Sized Coals
When buying coal, remember that mixed sizes are more difficult to burn than sized coals.

Tungsten Source
Before the war China was the leading source of tungsten.

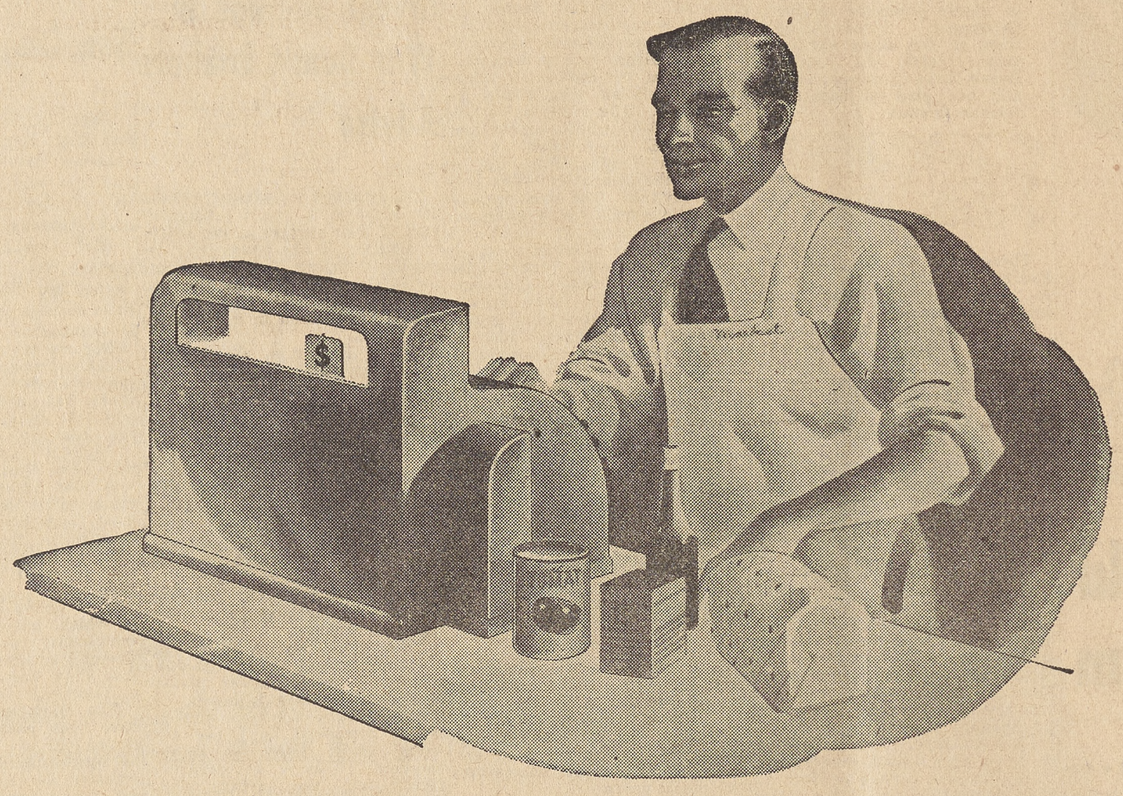
Mechanical Energy
Coal supplies 55 per cent of all U. S. mechanical energy.

Miners' Output
The average output per miner is approximately five tons of bituminous coal a day, 1,200 tons a year.

Anti-Malarial
Quinine and totaquina are antimalarial alkaloids processed from the bark of the cinchona tree.

Used by All Parts
Vitamin C is used apparently by all parts of our bodies.

Essential for Steel
Coal is essential in making 100 per cent of steel.



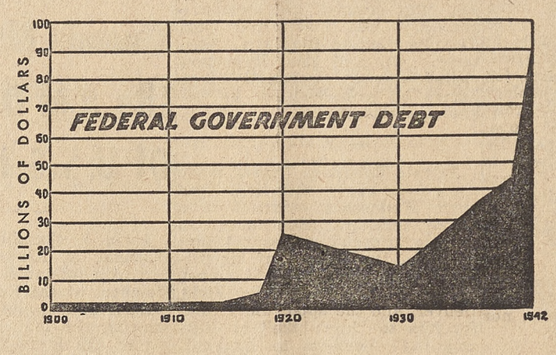
In America PROFITS *Pay the Cost of Government*

Before this war is won, our national debt will probably be in the hundreds of billions of dollars. But no cost is too great to save the free American system.

Some day we will pay this debt. For that purpose, as well, we must preserve the American system of free enterprise — the right of the individual and the business to earn enough to pay his share of the cost of government, through taxes.

Business at a profit — whether by the individual worker, or by the business which employs many workers — has always been the American way of paying for the cost of government.

It must be preserved, for it has proved itself for 300 years the most successful system yet devised by man.



Look Americans! Since the beginning of time, the only road to prosperity has been P-R-O-D-U-C-T-I-O-N and exchange of goods and services at a profit—the American system of labor and business.

From it you have earned personal benefits—your home towns have enjoyed increasing advantages—and your nation has become the richest on earth.

THE AMERICAN SYSTEM HAS CREATED THESE TANGIBLE THINGS FOR YOU:

—the highest standard of living in the world;

—the accumulation of personal savings and worldly possessions—your schools, your highways, your buildings—your life insurance, your home, your automobile.

—money to pay the cost of government, local, state and national, including the payment of governmental debt;

And with it, you have the right to think, to speak and to worship as you choose—rights forbidden to millions not living under the free American system.

OCEAN BEACH KIWANIS CLUB

GRASSROOTS by WRIGHT A. PATTERSON

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

HIDDEN TAXES AND WASTE IN GOVERNMENT

WHEN WE BUY cigarettes, cigars, tobacco, playing cards, wines and liquors, if any, we know there is a tax included in the price we pay because of the internal revenue stamp on each package. But there are other taxes we pay on these things and on all other things we buy. They are referred to as hidden taxes and they include taxes levied by municipalities, counties, school districts, states and the federal government.

It is by no means the tax bill we receive that represents the taxes we pay. These hidden taxes that are a portion of the price of every commodity we buy represent the taxes paid directly by all those who produce the things we buy. They are passed along to the consumer as a part of the price he pays. If that were not done all industry would soon be bankrupt and we would have industrial chaos. Taxes are a part of the cost of production, just as much as is labor or materials or power.

A loaf of bread offers a simple illustration. The farmer raises wheat and must sell it at a profit if he is to continue producing wheat. An item of the cost of production is the taxes he pays on his farm. If his taxes are $100 and his only production has been 1,000 bushels of wheat, the tax item amounts to 10 cents a bushel. That must be, and is, passed along to the man who buys the wheat.

The elevator operator buys the wheat and pays the farmer's taxes. He sells the wheat to the miller at a price that includes the farmer's taxes with the addition of a share of the taxes of the elevator operator. It goes on from the miller to the wholesaler, the retailer, the baker. Each one adds a bit of taxes. By the time a bushel of wheat has reached the consumer in the form of bread it is possible there may have been added 25 cents, or more, to the actual cost of the wheat. That 25 cents becomes a part of the price of the bread made from that bushel of wheat and the consumer pays it. Competent tax analysts estimate that from 20 to 30 per cent of the price of a loaf of bread represents the taxes the consumer pays for those who produced the wheat and converted it from grain to bread.

That is as it always has been, and must continue to be, if American industry is to continue to operate. When the tax fixing bodies, local, state or national, collect a high tax rate from the industrial corporations, they are not soaking such corporations, they are soaking us, the consumers. When the taxes on anything we buy — commodities, transportation, gas or electricity— are increased, the price we pay for the product is, and must be, increased. When taxes go down we get more for our money.

We, the consumers, have a very definite interest in government, local, state and national, econcmics. We, in the end, must pay the cost of government waste and extravagance. It is right that we do so, if anybody must pay, but it is unfair when those who fix the taxes try to fool us into believing that we do not contribute to the tax collector.

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SUBSIDIES AND BUREAUCRATS

OPA WAS CREATED for the purpose of controlling distribution, price and consumption of commodities used by the civilian population on the home front. It has full authority to specify the amount of any commodity that may be used by the civilian population. Through the point rationing system it regulates the amount of each commodity each civilian may have. It is authorized to, and does, fix prices that may be charged for commodities by the producer, the processor, the manufacturer, the wholesaler and the retailer. It tells the consumer what he is to pay for any commodity on which OPA feels it should, and does, set a price.

These things being true, why does any failure to pay subsidies threaten us with runaway, inflationary prices on food products? When the farmer the processor, the wholesaler, the retailer are told at what price they can sell and the consumer is told at what price he may buy, where does the threat of runaway prices come in?

The payment of subsidies, it would seem, provides but another means by which Washington bureaucrats may tell American farmers what to raise and when and how. The farmers are to be commended for their opposition.

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ONE POINT about farm subsidies that seems to have been overlooked: The administering of them would provide jobs for several thousand additional federal government employees.

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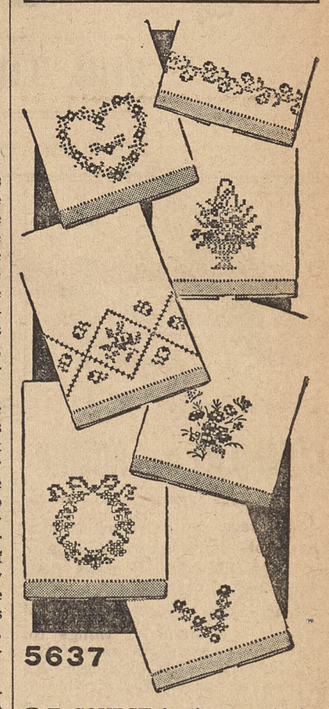
THE ONE OBSTACLE THE FARMER has so far been successful in surmounting is the racketeering labor leader who has attempted an invasion of the farm field. The racketeer's difficulty is in finding mass elements with which he can deal.

Things to do



OF COURSE having guests today means that you'll have to be lucky to have enough red points to feed them but you don't need any points at all to have these seven handsome designs to embroider on your guest towels! Do the lovely cross stitch in your spare time in the afternoons—while you are mentally planning the next day's menus. Each design is about 4¾ by 5 inches.

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To obtain seven transfer designs for the Lucky Seven Towels (Pattern No. 5637) color chart for working, send 16 cents in coin, your name and address and the pattern number.

Due to an unusually large demand and current war conditions, slightly more time is required in filling orders for a few of the most popular pattern numbers.

Send your order to:

HOME NEEDLEWORK
149 New Montgomery St.
San Francisco, Calif.

Moss Bandages

Peat-bog moss is today grown under the guidance of botanists as a raw material for the making of surgical dressings. Processing the moss is relatively simple. First, it is carefully cleaned of all extraneous matter, then dried, steam sterilized and formed into gauze-covered pads of various sizes. Wounds heal much more quickly with moss than with cotton bandages because of better drainage and its antiseptic properties.

Moss bandages are today being utilized by the Allies in many war theaters of the world.

Nose Must Drain
To Relieve Head Colds Miseries

When head colds strike, help nose drain, clear the way for breathing comfort with **Kondon's Nasal Jelly.** Kondon acts quickly to open clogged passages, soothe inflamed, irritated tissue, reduce swelling. Amazingly simple. At all druggists. Used for over 53 years. Satisfaction or money back is guaranteed. Ask your druggist for KONDON'S NASAL JELLY today.

Modesty in Man
Modesty is to the other virtues in a man, what shade in a picture is to the parts of the thing represented. It makes all the other beauties conspicuous, which would otherwise be but a wild heap of colors.—Sir R. Steele.

NONE SURER — ST. JOSEPH ASPIRIN — WORLD'S LARGEST SELLER AT 10¢

Life's Highlights
In a cemetery at Ruidoso, N. M., is a tombstone bearing this inscription: "Wild Bill Britt. Ran for sheriff in '82. Ran from sheriff in '83. Buried in '84."

COUGHS Due to Colds
Quickly Soothed by
GRANDMA'S COUGH SYRUP
At all Drug Stores 30c & 60c

Calling Home Front:
Support Our Forces
For Complete Victory
Buy More Bonds Now!

DON'T LET
CONSTIPATION
SLOW YOU UP

● When bowels are sluggish and you feel irritable, headachy, do as millions do — chew FEEN-A-MINT, the modern chewing-gum laxative. Simply chew FEEN-A-MINT before you go to bed, taking only in accordance with package directions — sleep without being disturbed. Next morning gentle, thorough relief, helping you feel swell again. Try FEEN-A-MINT. Tastes good, is handy and economical. A generous family supply

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GROUNDHOG DAY

On February 2, the Groundhog is supposed to come out from his winter hibernation and decide if we are going to have a cold or a mild spring.

Whether Mr. Groundhog will perform as scheduled, we don't know, but it reminds us that spring is already just around the corner. And once that corner is turned, the 1944 battle of food production will get under way.

The present outlook is that there will be a demand for all we can produce this year. Yet, there is also a possibility of running into surpluses.

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OVERHAUL THAT INCOME TAX!

Painfully evident to about 50 million Americans is the jumbled intricacy of the income tax regulations as they now stand on the Nation's law books.

Before March 15 millions of dollars will be spent by disgusted taxpayers who took one puzzled look at their blanks received through the U. S. mail, threw up their hands and called in professional auditors.

Despite radio programs and prepared statements from the tax collector's office pointing out how simple the computations are, we have yet to meet a single taxpayer who agrees with those experts. The forms are as lengthy as the Burma Road, and fraught with obstacles on the straight stretch and danger on the curves.

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MUSTERING-OUT PAY

The House of Representatives finally passed its own version of the soldiers' mustering-out pay bill. It provides for payment of $300 for men and women honorably discharged after 60 days of service. No distinction was made between home and foreign service. Those serving less than 60 days would receive $100. For once, everybody in the House agreed—the vote was 387 to 0. However, the House and Senate will now have to get together and work out a compromise since the Senate has already passed a mustering-out pay measure calling for a sliding scale of payments ranging from $200 to $500. Under the House bill, payments will not be made to those released at their own request to obtain private employment. This group includes most inductees released afte· they became 38 years of age.

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HILL 660

"Hill 660, on New Britain, captured," came the report from the South Pacific.

Hill 660! Just one of many hills. A pin-point on a sizeable map. Yet our men had to fight hard for every foot of it.

Possession of it represents the advance of an infinitesimal part of an inch on the yard stick measuring the distance to Tokyo. But it means that we are nearer to Rabaul. And when Rabaul falls, the "inching" process may be over since the enemy may have to wtihdraw all the way to Truk in the Central Pacific.

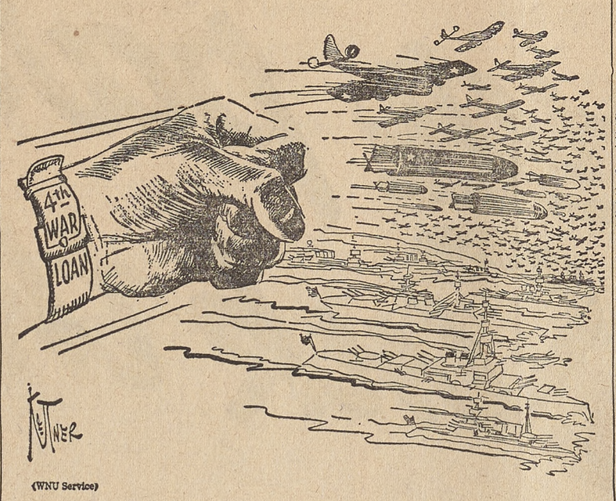
When the Nipponese "hopped" down the "island road" almost to Australia in 1942, they made it harder for us to fight them effectively. For one thing, they kept us fightnig a long distance from their homeland. For another, they cut off our supply of one of the things we needed most—rubber.

And that need for rubber was vital both on the fighting front and on the home front. Here in America we discovered that the nation had been practically built on rubber. We awoke to the fact that a tremendous portion of our war freight and essential civilian goods are handled by motor vehicles.

In spite of the fact that we created a billion dollar synthetic rubber industry almost overnight, the rubber shorage hasn't been anywhere near licked. But it will be licked—it must be. America's war effort cannot be permitted to disintegrate — and without her rubber-borne transportation this could hardly be avoided.

Hill 660 was a triumph, and it gives promise of better things to come. That promise will be fulfilled at the end of the Tokyo "turnpike" in complete victory.

The Knockout Blow



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Better Homes Promised After War

Babson Says New Type Houses And Improved City Planning Ahead

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BABSON PARK, Florida, Jan. 21.—The ban on residentail building has resulted in a pent-up demand for new houses that is unprecedented. Potential markets exist for at least one million units. Housing is still critical in many localities. Real estate dealers are hard put to find small homes. In cooperation with builders, however, they can look forward to merchandising the greatest residential crop of their careers. Aided by far-seeing city and suburban planning and by new techniques in construction, home owners can also look ahead—in their instance—to lower costs and greater conveniences in living.

A Word of Caution

Much of the shortage of city dwellings is largely caused by the War. In some defense areas the peak demand has passed. There present scarcity may turn into an over-supply. But not so everywhere. Many migrant war workers from farms have occupied new, and attractively fitted up, Government Housing homes. Once back on the farm they are not going to be content with their old way of living. Those who have saved a few thousand dollars will want to invest in a new home. This may be a decided factor in boosting both building volume and land values in smaller and rural communities.

New residential building totals will be very large but may be spotty, geographically. All localities cannot look forward to an equal participation. Geographically, the Southwest Coastal States can expect increased housing activity. This is also true of New England and the Northwest States. Builders and dealers should take time out now to consider carefully the prospective demand for new homes in their respective communities. Stock market booms benefit most all securities, but real estate or building booms may wel be confined to certain definite areas.

The Postwar House

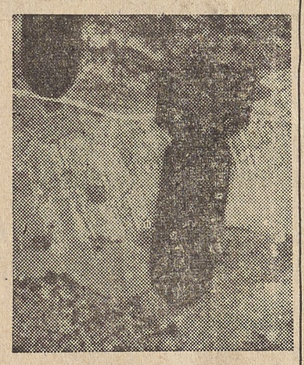
In pre-war years, considerable progress was made in pre-fabricated contsruction. Methods of insulating, heating, wiring and plumbing have been so improved during the War that the pre-fabricated house industry may make quite a showing. A recent survey covering 27,000 houses of this type shows that they can be built for from 10% to 20% below the cost of the conventional house. A very large number have been built for defense workers. Many of these may be moved to new sites. This, however, is an expensive job.

As pre-fabricated house manufacturers profit from recently learned construction lessons and as the idea catches on, I expect to see a real market for houses of this type. Five or six years after the War 50 per cent of our new homes may be pre-fabricated in whole or in part. A great deal of material can be saved and these savings passed on to the home owner. It may not be long before chain stores and department stores can carry a regular line of partially pre-fabricated houses. It is as reasonable to expect that houses can be mass-produced as are automobiles.

Back City and Town Planning

Like pre-fabricated houses, there is nothing new in city planning although it is still in its infancy. The idea is maturing slowly but surely. During the War, municipalities have not had much to spend on municipal improvements. In many communities, howeber, Planning Boards have been busy preparing studies of housing, recreation and educational requirements. Many of their recommendations, designed to meet the maximum living requirements in terms of health, efficiency and convenience, will take concrete form.

Studies in planning should consider a town or city's future in relation to its state or region and even to the nation. Even a community's place and the service it might render in any new world economy should be determined. Population trends, industries, resources, available land, soil analysis, climate, transportation, sanitation and many other factors enter into intelligent city or suburban planning. It should reprecset much more than an efficient lay-out of streets, parks, homes, business areas and educational or municipal services. My readers should get acquainted with their local planning board members. They are not a municipal luxury; they can stabilize real estate values by bringing better people to your community and making everyone healthier, happier and more prosperous.



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IN THIS PAPER

The use of history is to give value to the present hour and its duty.—Emerson.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 32674

Estate of
A. A. SOLIMINI, also known as ANGELO ANTONIO SOLIMINE, also known as ANGELO A. SOLIMINI, also known as A. A. SOLIMINE, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Chester D. Gunn as the Administrator of the above named Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, that within six months after the first publication of this notice, they either file them with the necessary vouchers in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, In and for the County of San Diego, or present them with the necessary vouchers to the said Chester D. Gunn at his place of business, to-wit, Room 22, Court House, San Diego, California.

Signed Chester D. Gunn
as Administrator of said estate.

Dated at San Diego this 14th day of January, 1944.

Thomas Whelan
District Attorney and County Counsel.
By Robert E. Jenson
Deputy

Attorneys for said Administrator

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5th publication Feb. 18, 1944.

Tax Sale No. 2872, 2880, 2882-1 and 2, 2884, 2887-1 and 2, and 2912-1, 2, 3, and 4

NOTICE OF SALE OF PROPERTY DEEDED TO THE STATE FOR DELINQUENT TAXES

WHEREAS, I was on the 8th day of November, 1943, directed by the Board of Supervisors of San Diego County, State of California, and there was received by me and filed in my office an authorization of the State Controller, dated December 27, 1943, to sell at public auction, for cash in lawful money of the United States, certain tax deeded properties, public notice is hereby given that unless the said properties are redeemed, as provided by law, I will on the 9th day of February, 1944, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock A. M. in the Tax Collector's office in the San Diego City and County Administration Building at 1600 Pacific Boulevard in the City of San Diego, sell as directed the said property for a sum not less than the minimum price set forth in this notice.

The parcel or parcels of property that are the subject of this notice are situate in the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, and are described as follows:

Sale No. 2872
POINT LOMA HEIGHTS
Lot 22, Block 18
Assessed to R. J. Walder for the years 1931 to 1937, incl.
Minimum price $100.00 plus cost of advertising.

Sale No. 2880
ROSEVILLE HEIGHTS
Lot 41, Block 6
Assessed to Herman N. Cable for the years 1930 to 1936, incl.
Minimum price $50.00 plus cost of advertising.

Sale No. 2882-1
WESTERN ADDITION
Lots 10, 11 and 14, Block 40
Assessed to Sam Ferry Smith Co. for the years 1930 to 1936, incl.
Minimum price on Lots 10 and 11 $10.00 each lot plus cost of advertising.
Minimum price on Lot 14 $90.00 plus cost of advertising.

Tax Sale No. 2882-2
WESTERN ADDITION
Lot 15, Block 40
Assessed to Eliz. E. Jones for the years 1931 to 1937, incl.
Minimum price $90.00 plus cost of advertising.

Tax Sale No. 2884
PUEBLO LANDS
(A) All Wly of Albion St. (Ex Sly 395 ft.) and (Ex Silvergate St. Opening) Lot 170.
(B) Nly 200 ft. of Sly 360 ft. lying Ely of Albion St. (Ex Bow St. Opening) Lot 170.
Assessed to Sylvester Kipp for the years 1935 to 1938, incl.
Assessed to Virgil Kipp for the years 1939 to 1941, incl.
Minimum price on parcel (A) $200.00 plus cost of advertising.
Minimum price on parcel (B) $175.00 plus cost of advertising.

Sale No. 2887-1
POINT LOMA HEIGHTS
Lot 1, Block 33
Assessed to Pantages Mills Shreve & Co. for the year 1929.
Assessed to Arthur J. Dorithy for the years 1930 to 1935, incl.
Minimum price $40.00 plus cost of advertising.

Sale No. 2887-2
POINT LOMA HEIGHTS
Lot 17, Block 82
Assessed to James B. McGrath for the year 1930.
Assessed to Florence S. Cook for the years 1931 to 1936, incl.
Minimum price $100.00 plus cost of advertising.

Sale No. 2912-1
POINT LOMA HEIGHTS
Lot 7, Block 5
Assessed to Fred'k A. Wolff for the year 1931.
Assessed to Fred'k A. Wolff for the years 1933 to 1937, incl.
Minimum price $40.00 plus cost of advertising.

Sale No. 2912-2
POINT LOMA HEIGHTS
Lot 13, Block 14
Assessed to O'Reilly A. Buchanan for the years 1932 to 1938, incl.
Minimum price $50.00 plus cost of advertising.

Sale No. 2912-3
POINT LOMA HEIGHTS
Lot 22, Block 14
Assessed to Pacific Finance Corp. for the year 1931.
Assessed to Thelma L. Rogers for the years 1932 to 1937, incl.
Minimum price $50.00 plus cost of advertising.

Sale No. 2912-4
POINT LOMA HEIGHTS
Lots 14 and 15, Block 55
Lot 6, Block 56
Lots 12 and 14, Block 59
Assessed to Western Invest. Co. for the years 1932 to 1938, incl.
Minimum price on Lots 14 and 15, Block 55, and Lot 6, Block 56 $50.00 each lot plus cost of advertising.
Minimum price on Lots 12 and 14, Block 59 $40.00 each lot plus cost of advertising.

If redemption of the property or the initiation of an installment plan of redemption is not made according to law prior to the sale thereof the right of redemption will cease. For information regarding redemption apply to Robert W. Getty, Auditor-Controller of San Diego County, Civic Center, San Diego, California.

Sam A. Claggett,
Tax Collector of San Diego County and Ex-Officio Tax Collector of San Diego City, State of California.

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Ocean Beach Business Places

Agnes G. Ells–Rentals, Notary–4845 Muir

A.-Z. Liquor Store . . . 1919 Bacon, B-9278

Jordan, O. W.–Plumbing, Heating . B-3271
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Ocean Beach Arrow Transfer B-3271
Railway Express. Storage. Daily trips to and from San Diego
Gene Henderson, Proprietor. 5040 Newport Ave.

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Futility

A half century ago, on the occasion of the inauguration of the Pasteur Institute, the great man for whom it was named, that "tireless admiral of the ship of humanity," uttered words of import to the world, to this effect:

Two opposing laws seem always to be battling on this earth.

The one, a law of blood and death, fashions new modes of destruction, forces nations always to be ready for blattle, seeks violent conquests, sacrifices a myriad of lives to the ambition of a single individual.

The other, a law of peace, work, and health, aims to relieve and deliver man from his calamities, places a single life above all victories.

Pasteur closed his speech with a Christ-like prophecy that science will obey the law of humanity and "'always labor to enlarge the frontiers of life."

The phophecy seems no nearer fulfillment now, to a world torn and tortured with the most deadly and devastating war of all history—and ironically, the more deadly for man's scientific—particularly engineering—advances.

What has man done with his lush gifts? He has fought—against long odds—disease and crime, poverty and prostitution. He has turned the X-ray to noble purpose. He has discovered new elements, invented new machines—and turned them upon his brothers, to destroy them.

Biologically speaking, man is the only living creature who "holds the world in the hollow of his hand.

Each man has his chance at immortality — the opportunity and the responsibility of imposing his will upon the future.

And now and then, out of the dross and the sordid shame, comes a Pasteur, a Beethoven, a Marcus Aurelius, a Plato — a Lincoln.

That is humanity as it might be—and the world, because of them, may yet "live at peace with great events."

Per Capita Value $688 Per Person

Value of taxable property in San Diego county this fiscal year averages $688 for each of the 407,000 people in the county at January 1, 1944, California Taxpayers' association stated recently making public its study of per capita assessed values of property in California counties. Total assessed value of property in the county is $279,812,530 for 1943-44.

Per capita assessed values in the county for the 1942-43 fiscal year averaged $664 for the 400,000 people in the county at January 1, 1943, the association found. Total assessed valuation for 1942-43 was $265,760,793.

Throughout the state, assessed value of property averaged $984 for each of the 8,014,000 people in the state at January 1, 1944. Total assessed value of taxable property in California is $7,886,224, 624. For 1942-43, per capita assessed values averaged $985 each for the 7,795,000 people in the state at January 1, 1943; total assessed value of property in the state for fiscal 1942-43 was $7,679,695,379.

Fifty-one of the fifty-eight California counties show increases in total assessed value of taxable property when valuations for 1943-44 are compared with those for 1942-43, the association found. Seven showed decreases in total values.

On the other hand, only forty-three of the counties show increases in assessed valuations per capita, with fourteen showing decreases and one showing no change. Over the state as a whole, per capita value dropped an average of $1 per person, from $985 for 1942-43 to $984 for 1943-44.

"Trends in assessed values, both total and per capita, are basic in plans for post-war activities of California's local governments," the association pointed out. "Local government spending on the county, school, city, or district level should be kept strictly on the basis of need. Only if this yardstick is closely applied can the tremendous tax load on the people in the post-war era be borne without drastic disruption of the economy of the nation."

Each generation gathers together the imperishable children of the past, and increases them by new sons of light, alike radiant with immortality.—Bancroft.

POINT LOMA CHAPTER
No. 490, Order of Eastern Star
Fern Herbst, W. M.
B-3739
Ella Cole, Secretary
4557 Brighton Ave.
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8 p.m.

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Right now, it's to get behind the 4th War Loan and invest in *at least one extra* $100 Bond. A Series E War Savings Bond will cost you $75, and you get back $4 for every $3 you invest, if held to maturity. But that's the least you can do. Invest more if you possibly can. Invest $200—$300—$500 or more. Help the company you work for to meet its quota.

Remember, these *extra* War Bonds are in addition to your regular War Bond subscription, either through payroll deductions or other channels. Before you say you "can't afford" to do more than you are already doing, think of those who are pouring out their blood and their lives today and every day that this war goes on.

Build Your Future With the World's Safest Investment

All over the country men and women look to the future with confidence. They are the ones who have put part of their extra wartime earnings into the world's safest investment—U. S. Government War Bonds.

What about *you?* Are you letting the dollars slip through your fingers—dollars that should be put safely away in War Bonds?

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JUST JESTING

To the Second

Mrs. Hobson was going away for the week-end.

"Do you remember what time my train leaves tomorrow?" she asked her husband.

"Sixteen hours, seventeen minutes, and thirty seconds from now, dear," he replied.

She Had Heard

"Come, come, Joan, surely you know if the world is round or square? Mary, tell her!"

"It's crooked, teacher," said Mary darkly.

Zero Hour

Hubby (in early morning)—It must be time to get up.

Wife—Why?

Hubby—The baby has fallen asleep.

Precautionary

Prospective Tenant (nervously)—Don't you think this window is rather small, in case of emergency?

Landlady—There won't be any emergency. My terms are cash in advance.

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Put 3-purpose Va-tro-nol up each nostril. It (1) shrinks swollen membranes, (2) soothes irritation, (3) relieves transient nasal congestion . . . and brings greater breathing comfort. Follow the complete directions in folder. VICKS VA-TRO-NOL

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Trains that stop at way stations near Udaipur, India, are always met by troops of monkeys that emerge from the jungle to chatter at the passengers.

How 10¢ can help you "feel like a million" if sluggish, due to temporary CONSTIPATION

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SNAPPY FACTS ABOUT RUBBER

Inflatable rubber barges for the U. S. Navy are "cured" at B. F. Goodrich in a steam vulcanizer that is 42 feet long, 10½ feet in diameter, weighs 35 tons and has a door that alone weighs 10 tons. It's a record for size and turns out the 25-foot barges at a rate of one every 30 minutes.

Synthetic rubber plants already completed and those scheduled for construction will have an annual rated capacity of 850,000 long tons. Before the war the United States consumed about 600,000 long tons of rubber annually. Now, however, our supplies must be shared with the United Nations.

Jerry Shaw

In war or peace B.F.Goodrich FIRST IN RUBBER

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Congress Debates Labor Draft Issue; Red Army Forges Deeper Into Poland; FDR Asks 100 Billion Wartime Budget; House Group Studies Prohibition Bill

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysts and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

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Italy—Torrential rains have turned Italian battlefront into goo, slowing Allied drive. (See: Europe.)

WAR BUDGET:
100 Billion Asked

Assuming that fighting will continue throughout the fiscal year ending in June, 1945, President Roosevelt asked congress for an appropriation of $100,000,000,000 to cover the period.

At the same time, the President asked congress to prepare for demobilization by (1) planning public works; (2) providing mustering-out pay to servicemen; (3) expansion of the social security program to tide over the labor force during the reconversion period, and (4) study ways of boosting foreign trade.

Declaring that war spending since 1940 will have swelled to $397,000,000,000 by 1945, the President forecast a national debt of $258,000,000,000 by next year. Such a debt, the President said, would require annual interest charges of $5,000,000,000, which could best be paid with a national income of $125,000,000,000 annually, far over the pre-war level.

To help whittle the debt, the President urged a minimum of $10,000,000,000 in new taxes this year, coupled with present collections of $40,000,000,000.

Ask Labor Draft

No sooner had President Roosevelt's message to congress calling for a labor draft been read, than Sen. Warren Austin (Vt.) and Rep. James Wadsworth (N. Y.) introduced legislation making all men between 18 and 65 and all women between 18 to 50 subject to compulsory service.

As congress moved toward consideration of the controversial labor draft issue, the senate went toward approval of most of its new $2,000,000,000 tax bill, far below the administration's demand for $10,000,000,000 of new revenue. The senate also voted to keep the present social security tax rate at 1 per cent each for employer and employee, instead of doubling the rates as automatically provided by the original law.

In introducing his labor draft bill which would enable the government to place people in employment, Senator Austin said approximately 6,000,000 4-F's, all men over 38, and an estimated 21,000,000 women would form a huge workers pool which could be channeled where needed into industry.

EUROPE:
Biggest Loss

Fighting through swarms of Nazi fighter planes which pressed home their attacks in close ranks, and running into new rocket antiaircraft fire that threw up shells "as big as a house," 700 U. S. Liberators and Flying Fortresses protected by almost 500 light combat escorts smashed hard at German airplane factories in southwestern Germany.

As the big U. S. aerial fleet fired the machine shops and assembly plants with a record loss of 64 planes, other Allied bombers struck at the big Greek port of Piraeus outside of Athens, supply center for German strongpoints in the Aegean sea, guarding the near eastern water route to the Balkans.

Although heavy weather turned the ground into goo, U. S. doughboys beat down Nazi mountain posts in southern Italy in their advance on Cassino, key to the 70-mile road to Rome. In bearing down on Cassino, doughboys were overrunning hill positions to the north, west and south, giving them a commanding view of the town which lies in a plain astride the prized highway.

RUSSIA:
Advance in Poland

Gen. Nikolai Vatutin's First Ukrainian army bit deeper into prewar Poland in hard fighting as other Red units maintained heavy pressure on the embattled Nazis in other sectors of the Russian front.

Gen. Vatutin

The Reds continued bearing down on the Nazis in the great Dnieper bend, where their persistent attacks gradually whittled down a long stretch of country which the Germans held to prevent the Russ from cutting through it and trapping 650,000 of their troops to the south.

As General Vatutin's forces pushed forward in prewar Poland, the Polish government-in-exile considered Russia's proposal for a postwar adjustment of the old eastern border between the two states. Under the proposal, Russia would keep the former Polish provinces of White Russia and the Ukraine, while Poland would be compensated by taking over Eastern Prussia.

PROHIBITION:
Open Hearings

"Use Your Bible to Battle the Bottle."

"Two Resolutions: I Will Keep Sweet and I Will Not Drink Alcohol."

As leaflets containing these slogans were passed out by ardent prohibitionists. a house judiciary subcommittee opened hearings on a bill by Rep. Joseph Bryson (S. C.), for limiting alcoholic content of beverages to 1½ per cent for the duration.

Heading the Dry delegation was Mrs. Ida B. Wise Smith, president of the Women's Christian Temperance Union. Mrs. Smith asserted that hangovers from week - end drinking sprees result in war plant absenteeism, and she further said that liquor manufacture channels grains, sugar and other products from food uses.

Opposing the prohibitionists, Representative Forand (R. I.) described himself as a teetotaler. But, said he, that "does not give me license to tell my neighbors what they should eat and drink."

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC:
Batter Forward

As U. S. doughboys battered their way slowly through Jap jungle defenses in New Britain, other Yankee units pushed southward for a junction with Australian troops fighting up the eastern coast of New Guinea.

While Yank and Aussie alike ploughed through the Japs' strong brush and mountain cover, U. S. bombers continued their raids on the enemy's central Pacific Marshall islands, guarding the ocean highway to the orient. Airdromes and shipping in the cluster of coral islets were battered by roaring Liberators.

Following strengthening of their beachhead at Arawe in southwestern New Guinea, doughboys moved inland against the Japs after heavy artillery bombardment, while to the north, other U. S. elements gradually were pushing the enemy back from around the captured airdrome at Cape Gloucester. In eastern New Guinea, Jap bases behind U. S. positions were bombed heavily to slow movements against doughboys fighting to join hands with the advancing Aussies to the south.

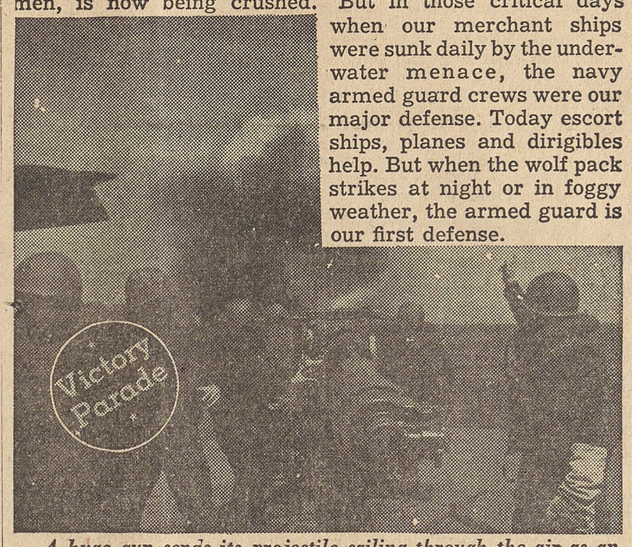
HIGHLIGHTS . . . *in the week's news*

PICKLES: In the midst of an all-time-high demand for pickles by the armed forces and civilian sources, directors of the National Pickle Packers association, at a wartime meeting in Chicago, forecast a shortage of pickles for civilians unless farmers increase cucumber acreage in 1944. Available pickle stocks are reported to be 1½ million bushels less than a year ago.

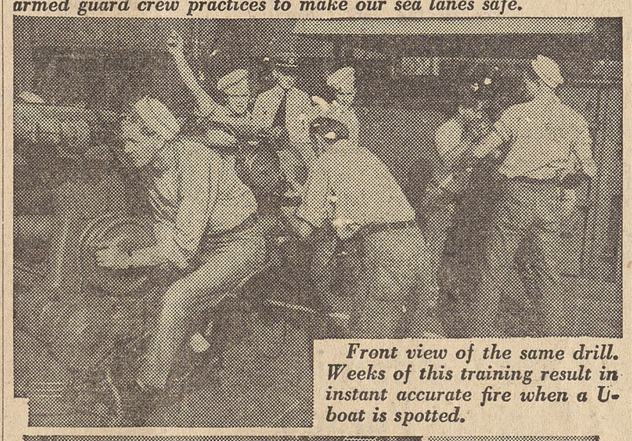
CHINCH BUGS: The prolonged drouth is adding a new danger in the corn belt—the threat of a much larger number of chinch bugs next season. Dry fall weather is favorable to the pests, as they can go into hibernation with small losses. An open winter also preserves many of the insects, who would ordinarily be killed by cold, it was said by entomologists.

Navy Armed Guard Battles Gangsters of the Sea

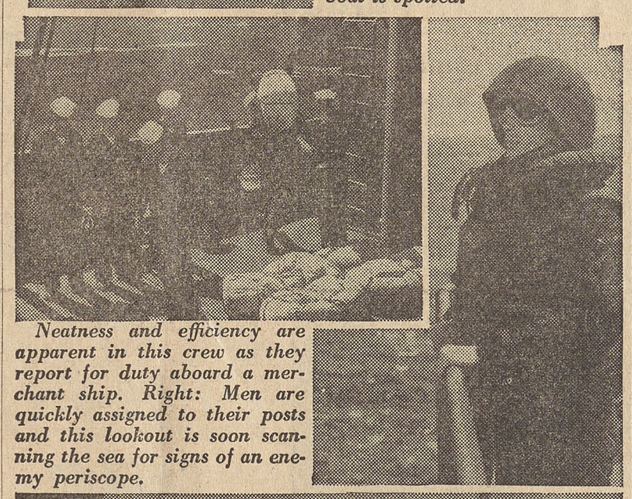
German U-boat warfare, once dreaded by Allied seamen, is now being crushed. But in those critical days when our merchant ships were sunk daily by the underwater menace, the navy armed guard crews were our major defense. Today escort ships, planes and dirigibles help. But when the wolf pack strikes at night or in foggy weather, the armed guard is our first defense.



A huge gun sends its projectile sailing through the air as an armed guard crew practices to make our sea lanes safe.

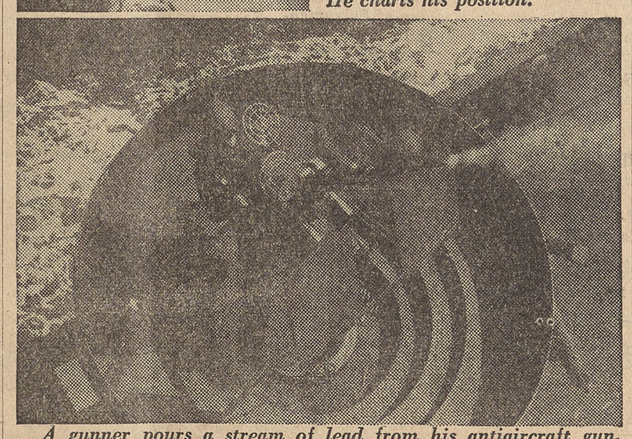


Front view of the same drill. Weeks of this training result in instant accurate fire when a U-boat is spotted.

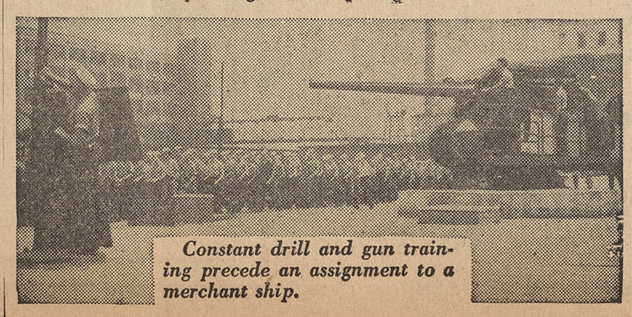


Neatness and efficiency are apparent in this crew as they report for duty aboard a merchant ship. Right: Men are quickly assigned to their posts and this lookout is soon scanning the sea for signs of an enemy periscope.

Above: Every round of ammunition must be accounted for by the crew's commander. Left: He charts his position.



A gunner pours a stream of lead from his antiaircraft gun. Steps around the gun enable him to elevate and depress it easily. Tubes on outside of steel guard are spare gun barrels.



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Recreation Expenses

A survey of 60,000 families, made in 1935 and 1936 by the National Resources Planning board, indicated that Americans spent $1,643,000,000, or 3.3 per cent of consumer expenditures, for recreation. Of this amount, $197,000,000, or .4 per cent, were for sports and games, including hunting.

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Alligator Steaks

Alligator steaks, costing $1 apiece when served with vegetables, salad and dessert, have made their appearance in a Daytona Beach, Fla., restaurant, according to "Texas Game and Fish." The proprietor praises the clean habits of the 'gators, pointing out that their diet is principally fish and frogs, and states that tails of three-foot specimens provide the best steaks. Unfortunately for those who may wish to try this "delicacy," taking of alligators for business or sports purposes is forbidden.

Grandstands Fell in Classic Roman Times

Such modern disasters as collapsing grandstands and senatorial investigations are not really modern. The "Annals of Tacitus" relate that an amphitheater at Fidena was not laid in solid ground and that the fastenings of the wooden structure above were insecure, due to some graft on the part of a contractor named Atilius.

While watching a gladiatorial show, a vast crowd of human beings, intent on the spectacle or standing about, fell with the collapsing structure and were buried in the ruins. Fifty thousand persons were maimed or crushed to death in the disaster, Tacitus records, indicating that there is nothing new in exaggeration either.

The sequel was an investigation by the Roman senate, which finally decreed that no person with less than 400,000 sesterces in good hard cash should present a gladiatorial exhibition and that no more amphitheaters should be built except on tested ground.

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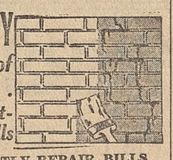

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Oil Discoveries Drop

Behind growing concern over possible exhaustion of oil reserves is the steady decrease in the rate of new oil discoveries since 1936. Last year, and in each of five years preceding, the United States produced roundly 1,400 million barrels (42 gallons each) of a total world production of about 2,100 million barrels.

So far, revised estimates of reserves in known fields plus new oil discoveries have each year exceeded the national production, and have raised known reserves to a 1943 level of 20,000 million barrels. New discoveries alone, however, have dropped from a 2,000-million-barrel annual total of a decade ago to 800 million barrels in 1938, and to 260 million barrels in 1942—less than the annual civilian consumption at the current limited rate. Size of the average new discovery dropped from 20 million barrels in 1934, to 11 million barrels in 1938, and to 1.2 in 1942.

Railway Financier

Financier of the famous Yerkes Observatory in Wisconsin and its telescope, Charles T. Yerkes gave up the flour and grain business in Philadelphia to become a banker and stock broker. He moved to Chicago and became prominent in the installation and control of the street railway system. He later interested himself in the London system of underground railways.

Beloved Resident Laid To Rest

Anna K. Peterson, resident of Ocean Beach for the past 20 years, passed away Saturday morning, Jan. 14. Funeral services and entombment were held at Cypress View chapel, Monday, Jan. 17 at 10:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Peterson was born in Monterey, Calif., 1861, she was one of a large family and her parents were among the early pioneers of California. Survivors are a son, Claude Lurmose and a daughter, Mrs. Ethel Warne. Her passing was the first of four generations born in California. which includes her daughter Mrs. Warne, her granddaughter, Mrs. Jean Pagett Husen, and great-grandson, Arthur Robert Husen, 4667 Cape May.

Mrs. Peterson fell and broke her hip, Aug. 6 and had been confined in a local hospital since then.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. W. Mincey of Ocean Beach. Naomi Thomas sang, "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," and "Just Inside the Eastern Gate," after which Rev. Mincey closed with a prayer and the following poem:

MOTHER HAS FALLEN ASLEEP

Mother was tired and weary
Weary with toil and pain;
Put by her glasses and rocker
She will not need them again.
Into Heaven's mansion she's entered
Never to sigh or to weep;
After long years with life's struggles
Mother has fallen asleep.

Beautiful rest for the weary
Well deserved rest for the true
When our life's journey is ended
We shall again be with you.
This helps to quiet our weeping
Hark! Angel music so sweet
He giveth to his beloved,
Beautiful. beautiful sleep.

—E.W.

Ocean Beach Elementary School

The enrollment of the local elementary school is increasing weekly. On Jan. 24th, the following children entered: Alan and Frank Hazel from Grand Rapids, Mich.; Rita and Marlene Black from Springfield, Mass.; Mildred Evans from Amarillo, Tex.; Barbara Bence from Alameda, Calif.; and Daniel Collins from Chula Vista, Calif.

Mrs. Conger's second grade children are studying the airport. Five mothers volunteered their cars to take children to Lindbergh field Tuesday, Jan. 25. The children stayed at the airport about one hour. They saw many planes take off and land. They saw two airliners land, and watched the passengers get off the planes. Many interesting things happened while they were there. The group returned by Harbor drive. Mrs. Chadwick, Mrs. Muchmore, Mrs. Gower, Mrs. Sherwood and Mrs. Fulton took the children to and from the airport. Mrs. Hebert and Mrs. Grobecker offered their cars but were not needed. The children appreciated the trip very much. Now they will make Lindberg field in their own room.

Scholars Make Harbor

This is the story of our harbor.
Guess what we do!
Would you like to know?
First we built our harbor to look like San Diego harbor; after we walked to Point Loma. Then we made the background to look like tall buildings and hotels in the gray fog. We have Coronado and North Island in our play harbor.
We have many boats . . .
The fat little tugs pull barges
—toot-toot—toot-toot!
Puff - puff - puff — goes the red freighter.
Sometimes from China and sometimes from Oregon.
Rice or lumber! Rice or lumber!
Chug, chug, chug — goes the happy ferry-boat all day.
The coast patrol boats guards our coast always.
Whoo - whooo - whoo, a quick shrimp this boat!
Ding-dong, ding-dong — sings the bell-buoy.
On-off, on-off, goes the busy, busy little lighthouse.
It works all the dark, foggy night.
Whoo — whoo the fog-horns warning comes to ships at sea.
Flag-buoys wave — back and forth — back and forth — back and forth!
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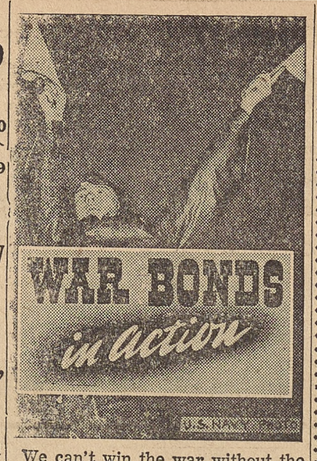

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Photo In Vogue Shows Dresses Done By Renee

Mrs. Warren Says Cotton is "Ideal Family Dress Fabric"

Memphis, Tenn. — Mrs. Earl Warren, wife of the Governor of California, has joined the American cotton industry's portrait parade of "First Ladies" who are speaking out for cotton. A striking portrait of Mrs. Warren and her charming daughter, Virginia, appears in the mid-month issue of Vogue — the twelfth in the series of "First Lady" portraits being published by the National Cotton Council and Cotton Textile Institute.

The portrait, made in the stately Governor's Mansion at Sacramento, shows both Mrs. Warren and her daughter dressed in outstanding cotton gowns designed especially for them by Renee of RKO-Radio Pictures, one of the nation's foremost designers. For Mrs. Warren, Renee created a lovely cotton lace gown in pastel blue. For Virginia, she designed a delightful formal of printed seersucker. To both gowns, she added appliques cut from the motif of the material, producing two typical examples of the high-styling available in cottons.

First Lady Approves

Wearing charming cottons for the portrait was no unusual experience for Mrs. Warren, whose personal wardrobe includes many cottons of its own. "Cotton is the ideal dress fabric for a large family," she said. "I wear it at home, for shopping and on official occasions, too." And, as the mother of six children, Mrs. Warren spoke with authority on cotton's place in a family wardrobe.

The portrait was made by Wynn Richards of New York, one of the nation's top-ranking photographers, who has been assigned by the cotton industry to photograph the nation's "First Ladies" for the series. Since inauguration of the portrait pages early in 1943, the cotton industry has presented studies of the First Ladies of Mississippi, Louisiana, Tennessee, Oklahoma, Texas, Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina, Florida, Arizona and New Mexico.

Kansas Next

Mrs. Warren's portrait will be followed in Harper's Bazaar for March with a photograph of Mrs. Andrew Schoeppel, wife of the Governor of Kansas, who also is a staunch advocate of cotton, and a strong supporter of the industry which produces it. Other First Ladies to be presented in the near future include Mrs. Carl Griffin, niece of Governor Chauncey Sparks of Alabama, and Mrs. Dwight H. Green, wife of the Governor of Illinois.

Through the portraits, and the important support being given by the First Ladies, the cotton industry is showing women of America the important position cotton occupies today in the fashion field.

First Lady Of California

—Photo by Wynn Richards

The "First Lady" of California—Mrs. Earl Warren—poses here with her daughter Virginia for a portrait to be published in the mid-January issue of Vogue. Twelfth in a series of portrait studies being presented by the cotton industry, the picture shows Mrs. Warren and her daughter wearing outstanding cotton gowns designed especially for them by Renee of RKO-Radio Pictures. Mrs. Warren's dress is of cotton lace in a soft pastel blue, while Virginia's is of printed seersucker. The portrait was made in the Governor's Mansion at Sacramento for the National Cotton Council and Cotton Textile Institute.

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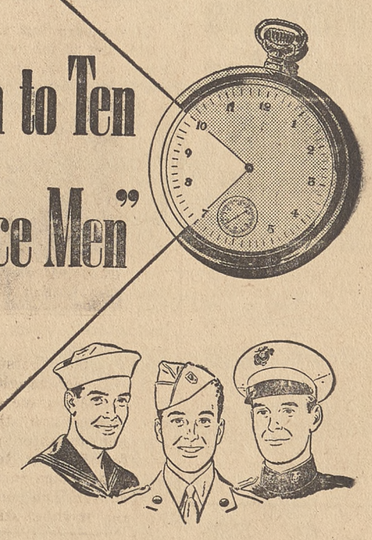

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FOREWORD

SINCE Lieutenant Colonel Frank Kurtz and the other members of the crew of the Swoose, who furnished the material for this story, are as modest as they are brave, they asked me to point out that this does not pretend to be a complete history of the air force in the Southwest Pacific war, or even of the achievements of the flying fortresses in those islands.

After they had read my completed story, they insisted that many men who did as much or more in this war as they, are mentioned here only casually or not at all. These omissions were necessary because I wished to build the story on personal narratives, confining it wherever possible to what these five men had seen and felt, so in fairness to them it should be judged only on that basis.

But within these limitations we have striven for accuracy. Consequently I am proud that Lieutenant General George H. Brett, who is one of the ablest of that small group of officers who pioneered air power in the American army and who, soon after the original debacle on Clark Field, took command of the Far Eastern air forces and in six months laid the foundations for our eventual Pacific victory, could, after reading the manuscript, write me that "as far as memory serves, the incidents you described of operations in Java and Australia are historically correct."

W. L. WHITE

CHAPTER I

The grizzled old Flying Fortress stood on the runway of an American airfield, presently to depart for another continent and another war zone. Those scratches on her running gear were made by sand grains of Wake Island when she was on her way to the Far East before the war. That little dent on her wing was made by a spent-bomb fragment the day the war began, when the Japanese destroyed all but a very few of our Far Eastern Air Force on Clark Field in the Philippines. She was one of those few. The battle paint on her wings was later blistered by the sun in the high skies over Java, and still later nicked by sandstorms over the Australian desert.

Of the very few to escape Clark Field, she is the only one to come home, and now, her guns removed, she is an old war horse turned out to pasture, the transport plane of a three-star general of the American Air Force.

(Lieutenant General George H. Brett, USA, who until recently commanded the Far Eastern skies for the United Nations.)

On her side is a jaunty emblem daubed there by the hand of some boy, unknown now and probably dead—the outline of a misshapen bird "The Swoose"—"half swan and half goose"—taken from a jingle, and beneath it the skeptical legend "It Flies?"

It did, for countless thousands of miles through cloud canyons and over oceans and islands of the war zone, and now in the shade of her wing sit six who have a story to tell. The pilot is standing. He is Frank Kurtz, who has been three times a member of the championship American Olympic Team as a high diver, who a year ago was a lieutenant in the 19th Bombardment Group, and who now holds the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Silver Star, and is a lieutenant colonel at thirty-one.

The others are Margo, his pretty, blonde, blue-eyed wife; Captain Harry Schrieber, his black-eyed, black-haired navigator; Master Sergeant Charlie Reeves, his bombardier; Master Sergeant Rowland Boone, his gunner; and Master Sergeant "Red" Varner, the merriest embalmer in the Air Corps, who a few years ago ran a comfortable little undertaking parlor out on the Coast.

"Red" is now crew chief of the Swoose, and lords it over the ground crews who swarm over her to check her engines when she hits the ground. He brings hot coffee and sandwiches to her pilot and passengers when she is aloft, and it was his duty in Java and Australia to steal anything from a carburetor to a roasting chicken necessary to keep the General comfortable and the Swoose in the air. But this is getting ahead of the story.

(Since this was written, all the master sergeants of the Swoose crew have been commissioned.)

Meanwhile Frank, the pilot, paces up and down. It isn't easy for him to begin. Few things have been easy for Frank Kurtz. It wasn't easy as a boy, when he earned his living selling papers on the streets of Kansas City. It wasn't easy later to leave home when he was fourteen because he had decided to become an Olympic platform diver and there was a famous instructor on the Coast the boy hoped he could persuade to coach him. He did persuade him, but it wasn't easy to earn his way through Hollywood High School while he took the training. Before leaving him, Frank had decided to become a pilot. He'll tell you it's so much like diving—all you need is perfect balance and timing and control; yet it wasn't easy to take those many hours of flying lessons, or later to win the Junior World's Landplane Speed Record, or to work his way through college and marry so popular and pretty a girl as Margo, or to learn to fly the Army way at Randolph Field.

All of it was hard, and Frank is never quite satisfied, because he's sure, looking back, that they all could have been done maybe a little better or at least a little quicker if he'd only worked harder; so naturally he's modest about them.

"I don't know where it begins," he said. "Maybe with the Swoose. Yet she wasn't my plane at the very first. I think it begins with Old 99, my very first plane, and with old Tex *(Lieutenant Arthur Edward Gary)*, my co-pilot, and the rest of my crew, that I saw lying there on Clark Field—eight in a line.

"Maybe it begins with Old 99 and those eight in a line, lying so still, and it was such a bright, sunshiny day, and so quiet after the Jap bombers left.

"You see, on the morning war began Old 99 was clear down at the

The grizzled old Flying Fortress stood on the runway.

other end of the field, out of sight beyond the hump in the runway, and my crew was waiting with her, keeping her all warmed for the takeoff while I went to lunch and to the pilots' meeting.

"I was to have bicycled over to them, and we were to have taken off for Formosa, to take pictures of what the Japs were doing.

"I had finished lunch when the first wave hit. After that I had to stay in the foxhole for about an hour while they strafed the field. But when the fighters left, I jumped on my bike and rode down the runway through the smoke of the other burning Fortresses, to see what had happened to Old 99.

"Only if I begin here, maybe nobody would understand what his plane and his crew means to a pilot; that it's like his home and his family. Boys you've lived with and worked with for months. Your life has depended on them and their lives on you. And you've seen the pictures of their wives or girls, and know just where they carry them in their wallets, and how proud they are of them, and you've told them about your wife, and they know what you hope for in the future, and what you haven't told them you know they've guessed, and the same with you about them.

"And the plane—it isn't something that belongs to the Government with a number; it's Old 99, the beautiful new Flying Fortress that belongs to you. It's more than your home—it's, well, a kind of a sweetheart. All of you picked her up off the assembly line at the Boeing plant where she was born—a beautiful, smooth, shining, naked thing. Then all of you took her up over the clouds and wrapped that beautiful blue star-spangled gown of the skies around her, which is the way every Fortress ought to be dressed, because they're the Queens of the high skies.

"And you're so damn proud of her, all of you—knowing you're flying a Fortress, which everybody admits is the best ship in the business. So there isn't anything any of you won't do—pilots and greaseballs of the ground crew alike—to keep her polished and adjusted and ticking like the high-precision watch she was when you got her.

"Well, as I said, there was a rise in the runway, and as I pedaled up it, for a minute I was afraid what I would see, looking ahead. But then my heart suddenly gave a big pound, because there was Old 99's vertical stabilizer—the big curve of her tail rising high like a game salmon's tail fin—gleaming above the runway; so I pumped the bike a few times more, being thankful it was a good American bike I'd bought off a fighter pilot instead of the junky Jap copies that are so cheap in Manila, only, my God, then—just then—

"I don't know whether I got off the bike at that point or not. Or fell off it. Or rode on a while, and then left it lying by the runway. All I can remember is how Old 99 looked and, a little later, walking over the field, slowly, toward her; afraid to come too close, too fast. Think about it not as a plane that has burned, or even your own house, but like it was a good friend burned up. And all that is left is that tall silver tail still up in the air, not even scorched or smoke-stained, and I am walking over the field toward her.

"Her poor old ribs black, twisted now; and with the aluminum skin melted off them so her carcass is naked, and you can see right through into the pilot's compartment, and the seats where I sat, and good old Tex, my co-pilot, right beside me. And my control wheel, and my two sets of pedals, and the duplicate set for Tex, only all melted or twisted with the heat—even the wall bracket where the coffee thermos used to hang is still there, only all twisted. And her four motors tumbled forward out of their nacelles in her crumpled wings onto the ground—everything about Old 99 still there, only melted and bent and ruined and her back sagging and broken, like you would take a delicate silver flying fish between your fists and break its back and drop it on the ground to die.

"Everything there, only something else, too. And I couldn't make out what it was. Yet I must have guessed. Because I began to feel sick at my heart and my stomach when I saw that curious, half-burned bundle of something lying there under the crumpled wing, and as I got closer I couldn't even deny to myself what it was. One of my crew. Lying under there. And right beside him another. Poor faithful boys, following orders, staying loyally by Old 99 even in the face of the advancing Japanese bomb pattern across the field like a hailstorm—and under the plane's crumpled belly still another, and under the tail our little Dodson—he must have run under there for shelter, and Old 99's tail settled down on him as her back girders melted when she burned. But only after I had walked around the tail could I see the eight in a line.

"There they were, lying so very still on this beautiful quiet day, my eight boys of Old 99's crew in a senseless, irregular line toward the woods, to which they had been running for shelter when they all had been killed at once, and left sprawling as they died.

"I remember standing there by the tail and counting — one, two, three, in that line and so on up to eight, toward the woods—my boys and each one I knew. Standing there, I could see it but not realize it even though I knew it—knew which ones would have their wives' and girls' crumpled pictures in their pockets. I knew they were dead now, and I started walking down that irregular line of men who had been running toward the woods, and then very suddenly it began to get me. For a while I don't know what I did. Then I remember going along the line from one to the other, talking to each the way I always would, and patting him on the shoulder like he were alive, because for me they weren't dead yet. And crying. And I'm not ashamed of that.

"Talking to each, from good old Sergeant Burgess, who was nearest the plane, on down the irregular line to dear old Tex at the very end, with all his clothes torn off by the blast. I recognized his shoulders. They were a fighter's big broad shoulders—Tex had been boxing champion of Texas A. & M.

"So maybe for me it begins when I got to where Tex was lying, and sat down by him to talk it over, lifting his curly head with one hand and patting his hairy back with the other. It was still soft and warm. It wasn't a body yet. It was Tex himself at the end of that sprawling line. I told him I didn't know why this had happened any more than he did. But they could trust me to find out, so it would never happen again. But regardless of that, he must understand this wasn't the end.

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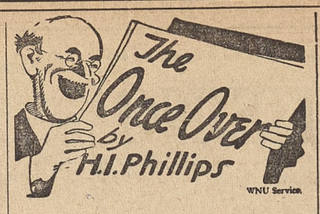

COMMANDO GIRL

("Young women are being trained as commandos. They are taught to scale walls, batter down doors, break through heavy obstacles, wrestle, fight and do ranger work."—News item.)

"I have come to ask for your daughter's hand," announced the young man.

"This is rather surprising," said the girl's father. "Are you sure you love her?"

"I loved her the first time I saw her go over an 18-foot wall!"

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"And are you sure she returns this love?"

"Yes, sir. Yesterday as she was about to dive headfirst through a sheet of plate glass I asked her if she would marry me, and I heard her answer distinctly above the crash."

"How long has this been going on?"

"Diving through plate glass?"

"No, no. This romance!"

"Not very long, sir. I met your daughter while I was bracing some oak trees. She came tearing along in that effective way of hers and felled them with a quick shoulder movement. I complimented her and one word led to another. I saw her again a few days later ripping planks out of a drawbridge."

"And then?"

"Well, we had lunch a few nights later, just after she had won three stars for shoeing a horse standing on one leg."

"The horse?"

"No, your daughter. That night she told me all about herself . . . the time she went through three barbed wire fences in two minutes, eleven seconds . . . the day she swam the Hudson towing a coal barge . . . and the occasion when she and another little girl knocked a hole in an armored car with bare fists. She's so wonderful, sir!"

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"It's strange that she hasn't told her mother or me of this attachment."

"Well, she's been awfully preoccupied lately. She's concentrating on a new technique for scaling cliffs in wet clothes, carrying 150 pounds of unnecessary luggage."

"Ahem. I see. Now suppose I consent. Do you think this will make a happy marriage?"

"Oh, yes, sir; yes, indeed. What a wife she will make! Imagine just being able to tell her during a real cold spell to go down to the dealer and really GET SOME COAL!"

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(That does it. The wedding takes place six weeks later, with the minister asking the groom, "Do you take this commando?" And with the choir singing not only "Here Comes the Bride," but "Here comes the judo expert, the all-round ranger, the pillbox basher and the best mountain climber of her weight in the East.")

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THE GWIBIT

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And as he fills 'em, one by one
He blithely chirps, "Well, now that's done!"
When anything has gone astray
"We're looking into that," he'll say.

A Gwibit thinks it is such fun
When ten words do the work of one.
He thinks long letters are a gem—
That is if he is writing them!
He loves ideas, however slim,
Provided they're thought up by him.
This is the phrase that makes him glow:
"We'll check on that and let you know."

A Gwibit is a fellow who
Resents ideas that come from you;
He sees no good in plans by gents
Who've had a wide experience;
It fills him full of deepest doubt
If you know what you talk about;
These words he worships, boy, and how! . . .
"It's under our advisement now."

If he suspects you know your stuff
A Gwibit's way is extra rough;
He loves to take a plan that's sound
And see it get the run-around;
Great satisfaction does he get
From saying, "File this . . . and forget!"
When Gwibits die they tell Saint Pete,
"You'll have to wait; just take a seat."

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"Middle aged gentleman desires company of lady not under 50 years and fond of bottled ale."—Ad in New Jersey newspaper.

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One with her own opener preferred.

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Ima Dodo thinks that Mr. Churchill was suffering from global pneumonia.

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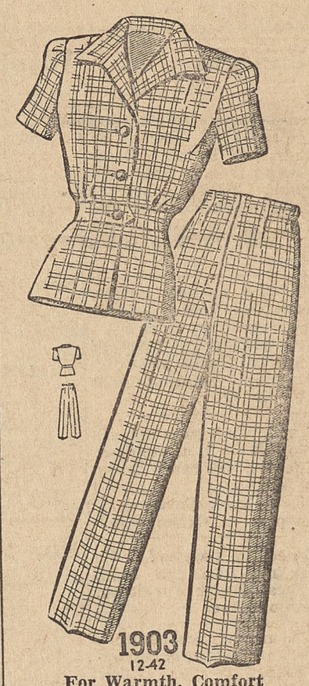
Spelling "cat" isn't the test of smartness; it's the ability to get the cat some milk.

PATTERNS SEWING CIRCLE



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Play Flute by Nose

"Singing through the nose" is a common criticism of some vocalists, but only the Filipinos are known to be able to play a flute with the nose. The difficulty of producing a sufficient volume of air to make musical notes by this method may readily be imagined.

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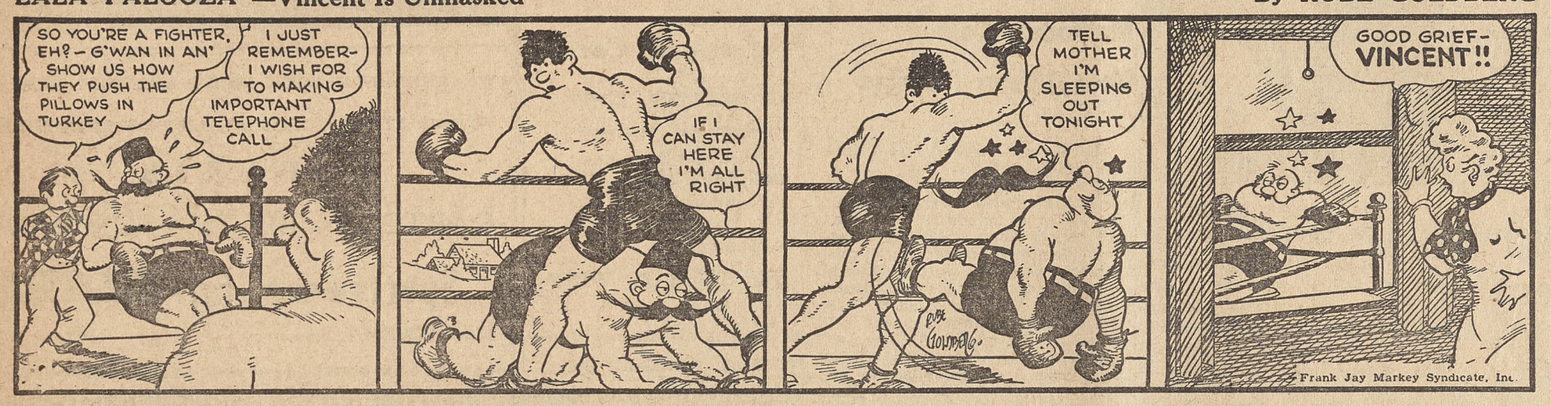
I UNDERSTAND, HEDY HONEY--MAYBE SOME DAY DOC WILL LEARN TO CONTROL THE RAYS BETTER--THEN---
SAY, DOC--GIVE MY FEET AN EXTRA DOSE OF THEM RAYS---MAYBE THEY WON'T SHRINK AGAIN SO SOON!
THAT'S AN IDEA, SLAP HAPPY!
Boody Rogers
Frank Jay Markey Syndicate

By BOODY ROGERS

25 MINUTES LATER--
WELL, MY MARRIAGE IS OFF--HEDY TOOK A BUS FOR HOME AND--GOODNIGHT, SLAP HAPPY--WHAT HAPPENED TO YOUR FEET!?
WE DON'T KNOW, SPARKY, BUT---
SLAP HAP

LALA PALOOZA —Vincent Is Unmasked

By RUBE GOLDBERG


SO YOU'RE A FIGHTER, EH?--G'WAN IN AN' SHOW US HOW THEY PUSH THE PILLOWS IN TURKEY
I JUST REMEMBER--I WISH FOR TO MAKING IMPORTANT TELEPHONE CALL
IF I CAN STAY HERE I'M ALL RIGHT
TELL MOTHER I'M SLEEPING OUT TONIGHT
GOOD GRIEF--VINCENT!!
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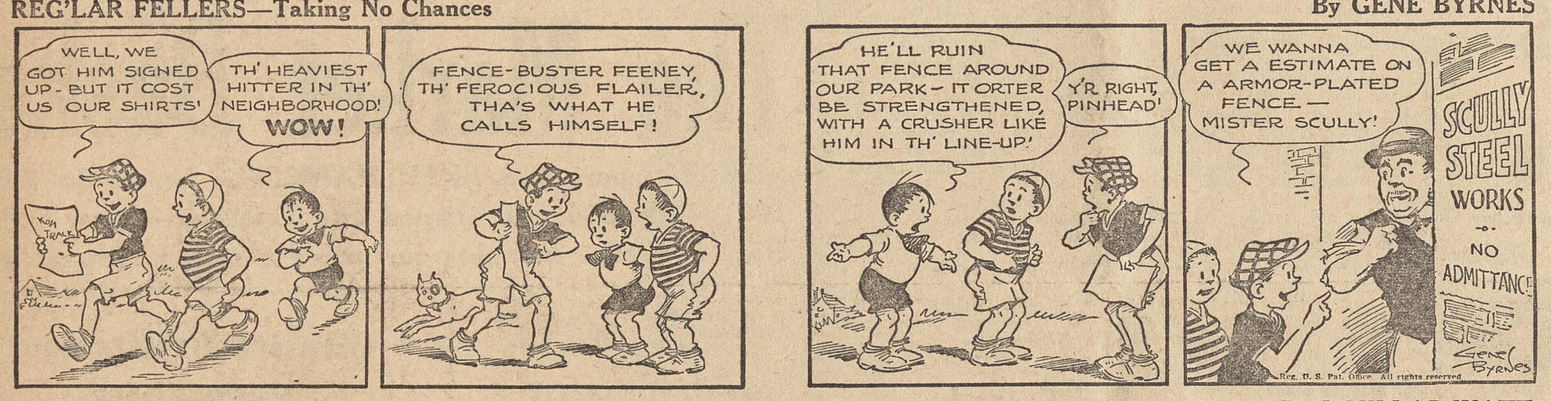
REG'LAR FELLERS—Taking No Chances

By GENE BYRNES


WELL, WE GOT HIM SIGNED UP--BUT IT COST US OUR SHIRTS!
TH' HEAVIEST HITTER IN TH' NEIGHBORHOOD! WOW!
FENCE-BUSTER FEENEY, TH' FEROCIOUS FLAILER, THA'S WHAT HE CALLS HIMSELF!
HE'LL RUIN THAT FENCE AROUND OUR PARK--IT ORTER BE STRENGTHENED, WITH A CRUSHER LIKE HIM IN TH' LINE-UP!
Y'R RIGHT, PINHEAD!
WE WANNA GET A ESTIMATE ON A ARMOR-PLATED FENCE--MISTER SCULLY!
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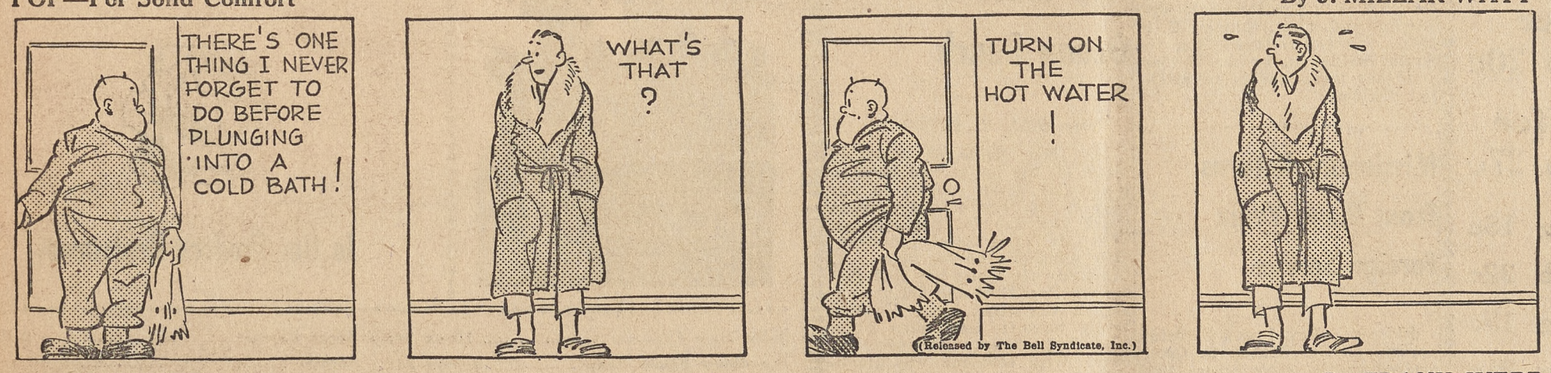
POP—For Solid Comfort

By J. MILLAR WATT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WHAT'S THAT?
TURN ON THE HOT WATER!
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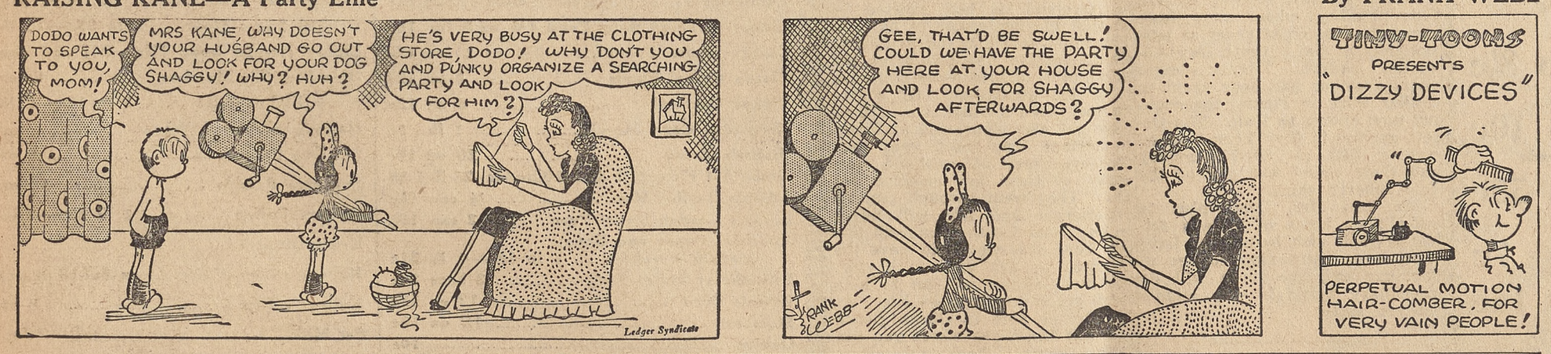
RAISING KANE—A Party Line

By FRANK WEBB


DODO WANTS TO SPEAK TO YOU, MOM!
MRS KANE, WHY DOESN'T YOUR HUSBAND GO OUT AND LOOK FOR YOUR DOG SHAGGY! WHY? HUH?
HE'S VERY BUSY AT THE CLOTHING STORE, DODO! WHY DON'T YOU AND PUNKY ORGANIZE A SEARCHING PARTY AND LOOK FOR HIM?
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Personals — Society — Clubs — Women's Activities

By LILLIAN HARTVIGSEN—Phone B-6004 or B-3157

Katharine Mueller Will Wed Tonight

Wearing a smartly tailored navy gabardine suit, gardenia corsage, white blouse and navy hat, Miss Katharine Faith Mueller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Mueller, 4887 Long Branch ave., this evening at 8 o'clock will become the bride of J. Benton Bell, son of Mrs. Feana Bell of Platteville, Wis., in First Fundamental church, 3503 Ray st. The Rev. True H. Maxfield will perform the simple ceremony before the immediate family and a few friends. Mrs. Fred G. Mueller, pianist, will accompany Mr. and Mrs. Carter Cody who will sing.

A reception will be held following the service at the home of the bride's parents. Among the out-of-town guests at the ceremony will be, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bunney and family of Fresno; Mrs. E. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Mueller and family; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mueller jr., of Los Angeles. Mrs. Miller will serve as matron of honor and Weldon Milam will be best man. Dave Mueller, U. S. N., who has been overseas the past two years, is home on furlough and will attend the wedding.

After a seven-day honeymoon trip to Los Angeles, the young couple will reside at 3034 Myrtle street.

Helen Patton, proprietrix of Helen's Card-Gift shop, attended the gorgeous displays of gifts at the Biltmore hotel Monday and Tuesday, in Los Angeles. She visited with friends over the week end and returned home Wednesday.

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Mrs. Harlen (Mary) Hume, 1852 Cable st. has returned from a 10-day visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Kinnaird of San Francisco. She found her parents in the best of health and enjoyed a short visit with her brother John who had just received his wings.

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Miss Jane Richley has been so busy the past seven months, since graduating from Pt. Loma high school, assisting at the Richley Hardware, it has been impossible for her to take the business course she had planned. But now, within a few days, Jane expects to enroll in Vocational Business school in San Diego.

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H. T. Plant sr., of Richmond, Utah, arrived Thursday last week in Ocean Beach to spend the winter months at the home of his son, J. O. Plant, 4836 W. Point Loma blvd. The visitor says our blustery days the first of this week were mild compared to the 18 degrees below zero that he experienced before he left his home in northern Utah.

Mitchell-Davis Wedding Rites

The marriage of Hazel Ann Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Davis, 4955 Del Monte ave., and John David Mitchell, of Pacific Beach, was solemnized Jan. 8 at 5 o'clock at the Sacred Heart church on Sunset Cliffs blvd. Father Edward Hannon, officiated.

MISS HAZEL DAVIS
JANUARY BRIDE

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore beige doeskin suit with fuschia accessories. Orchids graced her shoulder. Mrs. (Kathleen Snyder, sister of the bride as matron of honor, was suited in brown with camelia corsage. Everett Groeschel served as best man.

A reception was held at the Davis home with immediate relatives and friends of the bride and groom attending. Mrs. Davis received wearing black and white with gardenia corsage. Mrs. Bebb, aunt of the bridegroom, who assisted also wore black and white with gardenia corsage.

The newlyweds spent their honeymoon at Hotel del Coronado and are residing at 1145 Pacific Beach dr., Pacific Beach.

The bride has lived in Ocean Beach eight years. She graduated from Point Loma high school and recently received her R.N. degree from Mercy College of Nursing. The groom, a graduate of La Jolla high school, is at present an employee of the local defense plant.

Mrs. F. A. Gunner (Marie Jean Davis) was in San Francisco with her husband, Capt. Gunner, U. S. M. C., who had returned from the South Pacific during the holiday, and they were unable to attend the wedding.

Missionary Returns From Many Years Foreign Service

Elder and Mrs. Frank F. Oster, parents of Dr. Winton B. Oster, arrived at the son's home, 4505 Voltaire st., last Friday, coming from Turkey where they have spent the last eight years as missionaries of the Seventh Day Adventist church. Twenty - eight years previous had been spent in similar work in Persia, the country now known as Iran. The Osters arrived in New York Dec. 17 coming with an 80-ship convoy and their vessel was one of the new Liberty ships.

Mr. and Mrs. Oster plan to make their home in Indiana following their visit here. They have another son attending college in Michigan and the three will do missionary work in the middle western states.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Moore, 3409 Freeman, will have as their guests for the Saturday evening jamboree at the San Diego club, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Clavert, and Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Near.

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SUNDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Herreman, 1868 Froude, entertained at dinner Sunday in their home, covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holman and their daughter Nancy, Mrs. Pearl Mundt and her son Ronald, of Wisconsin, Miss Viola Kietzman and Blair Monson.

SEVENTH BIRTHDAY

Nancy Holman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holman, celebrated her seventh birthday, Tuesday afternoon at the home of her parents, 1880 Froude st.

Little friends sharing the birthday cake and bringing gifts were, Norma Hill, Faith Belt, Eleanor Hayman and Nancy's cousin, Ronald Mundt. who is a visitor from Madison, Wis.

Methodist Women New Officers Installed

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Point Loma Methodist church held their first meeting Thursday afternoon, Jan. 20. After a delightful luncheon with Mrs. Arthur Henry and Mrs. John Penniman, co-hostesses, the business meeting was presided over by the newly-elected president, Mrs. Algy L. Lambert. A most interesting program was arranged by the program chairman, Mrs. Vern Gerhardt. The Rev. Dr. George A. Warmer, pastor of the First Methodist church in San Diego was the guest speaker. He also officially installed the newly-elected officers for the ensuing year who were as follows: President, Mrs. Algy L. Lambert; first vice president, Mrs. Vern Gerhardt; recording secretary, Mrs. L. R. Lyman; treasurer, Mrs. Glen Jones; second vice president. Mrs. Arthur Henry; chairman of spiritual life, Mrs. Ruth Johnson; third vice president, Mrs. Merle Brady; courtesy chairman, Mrs. I. W. Parks; corresponding and publicity secretary, Mrs. Eddie King.

A very fine attendance was in session and the visitors were given a very friendly welcome. We anticipate another fine meeting in February.

Red Cross In Ocean Beach

By ONA E. PITCOCK

Mrs. Mae Heidbrink wants to thank all the ladies who have so generously given cookies to our boys in the hospitals. I want to thank you also for the patients. They are so grateful for every little thing you do for them At Christmas time one boy had just arrived Dec. 23rd and did not expect a Christmas box. He was baldly wounded and when given a box he just kept saying over and over "Why someone was thinking of me." Another boy when he received his box insisted he wanted his lieutenant to have it. The nurse told him the lieutenant would receive one but after she left him he slipped away and gave it to his lieutenant. Of course he was given another one. These boys get very depressed at times. Remember they went away perfect specimens of manhood, now many of them are crippled for life. They went through terrible experiences and life will never be the same for them and all this was done that we might have the liberties we are used to having. We must do all we can to help them get a new grip on life. At the Center here in Ocean Beach you will find a box where you can drop a game, a book, a handkerchief, sweet scented soaps, pencils, pens, stationery, scenic post cards, combs, nail files, nail clippers, small date books and calendars, gum or any little thing that they might like. Do these up as pretty as possible. When the boys have a birthday or are depressed these will be given them. You can't realize how it cheers them up to think that someone thinks of them.

I am sure you felt as bad as I did when you read how many failed to keep their dates at the Blood Center. Please keep your appointments and those who have never donated their blood call F-7704 and make a date. Your blood may save a life.

We have lots of knitting and sewing at the center. These articles are badly needed so please phone B-5639 or call at the Red Cross Center, 4769 Del Monte ave.

There will be a standard First Aid class start in San Diego high school Feb. 1, one in Hoover high Feb. 2 and one at Kearny high at Linda Vista Feb. 2. Please call M-8066 for further particulars. Everyone should learn first aid.

First Benefit Recital Treble Clef Organ Fund

Thomas McGee Maze, senior at Point Loma high school, is giving a recital for the benefit of the State College Treble Clef organ fund, at the La Jolla Presbyterian church at 7:30 Monday, Jan. 31, under the direction of T. Morley Harvey. His program will be augmented by the singing of June Saunders, soprano, and Russell Hill, baritone.

The program will include:

1st Movement, Organ Sonata ..... Mendelssohn
Cavatina ..... Raff
Ave Maria ..... Schubert
(Soprano solo by June Saunders)
Poeme ..... Fibich
Prelude and Fugue in E Minor ..... Bach
Andante Cantabile..Tschaikowsky
O Rest in the Lord....Mendelssohn
(Baritone solo by Russell Hill)
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Newcomers Given Welcome Shower

Mrs. Josie Flemmig and her daughter, Miss Mayme Flemmig of Colorado Springs, Colo., who came here at the suggestion of Mrs. Flemmig's daughter, Mrs. Saidee Rodefer, to purchase Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Penniman's home, have taken possession and moved in Jan. 15.

After 23 years' residence in Colorado, where she shoveled coal, ashes and snow, Mrs. Flemmig is already enjoying the privileges of living in a fine warm State.

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Guy Penniman and Mrs. Saidee Rodefer were co-hostesses at a surprise shower, complimeting the newcomers at their home, 4754 Bermuda.

Pictures, mirrors, tables and odd pieces, left behind when the Flemmigs moved here, were duplicated in the shower gifts presented by the following guests, Mrs. Florence Harvey, Mrs. Larose Broz, Mrs. Jean Ross, Mrs. Gladys Arnold, Mrs. Myrtle Williams, Mrs. C. J. Rich, Mrs. J. W. Mills of Vista. Mrs. Rodefer and Mrs. Penniman.

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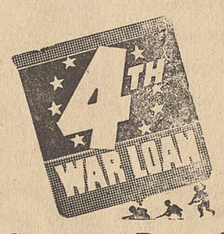

Airway Coffee — Ground fresh when you buy — lb 20c
Edwards Coffee — Vacuum packed in glass — lb 27c
Suzanna Pancake Flour . 3½ lb bag 18c — 20 oz pkg 8c
Dalewood Margarine . . . . . lb 22c — Top quality—6 Points per lb
Karo Syrup . . . . . 1½ lb jug 15c — Blue Label
Morning Glory Oats . . . . . pkg 21c — Large size—small pkg 10c—reg or quick cooking

Pippin Apples . . lb 8⅓c — Newtowns—Fancy and C Grade
Winesap Apples . . lb 10c — and Rome Beauties—Ex Fancy, Fancy and C Grade
Russet Potatoes 10 lbs 35c — U. S. No. 1 grade
Naval Oranges . . lb 7c
Grapes . . . . . lb 14c — Red and White
Fuerte Avocados . lb 19c
Banana Squash . . lb 3½c
Fancy Celery . . . lb 7c
Cauliflower . . . . lb 12c
White Cabbage . . lb 4½c
Fresh Carrots . . . lb 6c

Comfort Tissue . . . . . 4 rolls 28c
Swan Soap . . . . . 3 large cakes 29c
Lifebuoy Soap . . . . . 3 cakes 20c
Rinso . . . . . 24 oz pkg 23c
Lux Flakes . . . . . 12½ oz pkg 23c
Canterbury Tea . . . . . ¼ lb 22c
Cheez-it Crackers . . . . . 6 oz box 11c
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Kingsford Corn Starch ..... 1 lb 8c
Fisher's Zoom ..... 20 oz 19c
Globe A-1 Flour 5 lb 33c--10 lb 59c--25 lb 1.38
Libby's Deviled Ham ..... ¼ can 15c
Libby's Garden Sweet Peas .... No. 2 can 15c
Sunshine Sugar and Honey Graham Crackers .... 1 lb 18c—2 lb 31c
Sweetheart Toilet Soap ..... 3 bars 20c
Niblets Corn ..... 12 oz 13c
Mexicorn ..... 12 oz 15c
Oakite 10c

Borax Powder ..... 2 lb 23c
Boraxo ..... 10 oz 13c
Borax Soap Chips ..... lg pkg 21c
Drifted Snow Flour .... 5 lb 32c—10 lb 58c
Lipton Noodle Soup Mix ...2½ oz 3 pkg 25c
Ohio Blue Tip Matches ..... 6 for 25c
Snow Flake Sodas ..... 1 lb 17c—2 lb 30c
Nabisco Shredded Wheat 11c
Sas Dog Food ..... 6 oz 9c
Supreme Raisins ..... 15 oz 11c
Folgers Coffee ..... 1 lb 33c—2 lb 64c
Kraft Dinners 10c
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Kellogg's Pep ..... 8 oz 9c
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